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SUMMARY MEXICAN JUSTICE.

EL PASO (Tex.) Aug. 12.—The Mexican officials are meting out summary justice to the men who have been murdering American prospectors. Munoz, one of the murderers who was sentenced to be shot, has been taken to the scene of his crime, where he confessed, and met death at the hands of a file of soldiers. Manuel Truillo, another of the band under death sentence, jumped into the river while handcuffed and is believed to have been drowned. Three others implicated by Munoz in his confession are now in jail and will be shot.

BRIEF WEATHER REPORT.

FORECAST for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; possibly mountain thunderstorms; light southwest winds.

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 81 deg.; minimum 62 deg. Wind 5 a.m. calm; 5 p.m. southwest, velocity 18 miles. At midnight the temperature was 68 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 3 a.m. the temperature was 66 deg.; clear.

SAN FRANCISCO and vicinity: Cloudy; possibly sprinkles; light southerly wind.

[The complete Weather Report will be found on page 8, part I.]

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ROCK SPRINGS THE PLACE.

CHEYENNE (Wyo.) Aug. 12.—The Democratic State Central Committee has selected Rock Springs as the place where the State convention will be held on September 6 for the nomination of candidates for Congress, Governor, State Treasurer and State Supreme Bench.

THE GREAT WAR.

THO' LOST TO SIGHT, TO MEMORY DEAR.

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Several of the Fugitives Apparently Have Wandered Back to the Old Home at Port Arthur—The Czarevitch Not Sunk—Serious International Aspect of the Ryeshitelni Episode.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOKIO, Aug. 12, 10:30 p. m. [By Asiatic Cable.]—The Navy Department tonight issued a brief statement on the engagement with the Russian Port Arthur Squadron, August 10. The statement follows:

"According to reports received to date, the enemy's fleet, which emerged from Port Arthur, was attacked by our fleet south of Yen Tao Island. The Russian fleet fled during the night. The cruisers Askold, Novik and another cruiser with one torpedo-boat destroyer ran into Kiaochou Bay on the evening of August 11. One torpedo-boat destroyer went to Chefoo and three of the enemy's battleships, one cruiser, probably the Diana, one hospital ship, two gunboats and several torpedo-boat destroyers seem to have separately returned to Port Arthur between dawn and noon of August 11. Our fleet appears to have received no damage."

TOGO'S EARLIER REPORT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Aug. 12, 6 p.m.—Admiral Togo has reported as follows:

"On August 10, our combined fleet attacked the enemy's fleet near Gugan Rock. The Russian vessels were emerging from Port Arthur, trying to go south. We pursued the enemy to the eastward. Severe fighting lasted from one o'clock Wednesday afternoon until sundown. Toward the close, the enemy's fire weakened remarkably. His formation became confused, and then his ships scattered.

"The Russian cruisers Askold and Novik and several torpedo-boat destroyers fled to the southward. Other of the enemy's ships retreated separately toward Port Arthur. We pursued them, and it appears that we inflicted considerable damage. We found lifebuoys and other articles belonging to the Russian battleship Czarevitch floating at sea. The Czarevitch probably was sunk.

"We have received no reports from the torpedo boats and the torpedo-boat destroyers which were engaged in the attack on the ships of the enemy. The Russian vessels, with the exception of the Askold, the Novik, the Czarevitch and the crusier Pallada, appear to have returned to Port Arthur. Our damage was slight. Our fighting power has not been impaired."

THE ESTIMATED CASUALTIES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Aug. 12, 5:30 p. m.—The casualties in the Japanese navy Wednesday, Aug. 10, numbered 170.

SINKING OF KANSUGA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Aug. 12.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Co. from St. Petersburg says that the Japanese armored cruiser Kasuga (formerly the Argentine warship Rivadavia) was sunk with all on board in the engagement off Port Arthur Wednesday.

[It was reported from Chefoo yesterday that the Japanese protected cruiser Kasuga was sunk off Round Island, forty-eight miles east of Port Arthur, during the naval engagement Wednesday. The vessel then referred to may have been the Kasugi reported in the dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from St. Petersburg as having foundered with all hands off Port Arthur, the same day. August 3 last, a newspaper announced in a dispatch from Tokio, the Kasuga had been sunk, and this was subsequently officially denied from Tokio.—Associated Press.]

ASKOLD'S RIDDLED CONDITION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SHANGHAI, Aug. 12, Night,—The Russian protected cruiser Askold arrived at Woodsung today with her fifth funnel gone close to the deck, all funnels riddled with small holes, one port side dismantled, and several large shell holes above the water line. One lieutenant and eleven men had been killed and fifty men had been wounded.

THE VESSELS AT TSING CHOU.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEFOO, Aug. 13, 10 a. m.—A late report from Tsing Chou says that the Russian warships still there are the battleship Czarevitch, the protected cruisers Pallada and Novik and three torpedo-boat destroyers. The Czarevitch, which is badly damaged, is being repaired with German assistance, it is alleged.

A report has also been received here to the effect that Admiral Withoeft was killed in the battle off Round Island last Wednesday.

A strong detachment of Japanese warships is reported to have sailed south for the purpose of intercepting the Vladivostok fleet, which, it is believed, has not yet effected a junction with the vessels reported to have been purchased by Russia from the Argentine government.

ANOTHER DESTROYER AT SHANGHAI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Aug. 13.—According to the correspondent of the Morning Post at Shanghai, the Russian torpedo-boat destroyer Grozovoi has reached there.

EXPECTING PORT ARTHUR'S FALL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TIEN-TSIN, Aug. 13.—The Japanese transports which are now lying at Newchwang have been forbidden to depart, presumably because of the fear that they might be subjected to danger at sea. It is believed here that the Japanese are delaying the general engagement at Liao Yang until after the fall of Port Arthur, where the final assault is thought now to be taking place.

RUSSIANS WERE DEFEATED.

MINISTER GRISCOM'S TIDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The following cablegram was received at the State Department today from Minister Griscom, dated Tokio, August 12:

"According to latest reports received at headquarters, the Japanese fleet attacked a Russian fleet emerging from Port Arthur to the south of Round Island, off Talien Bay. The Russian fleet, finally defeated, fled during the night. Cruisers Askold, Novik and one other and one destroyer entered Kiaochou Bay night of 11th; one destroyer fled to Chefoo; five battleships, one cruiser, probably Diana, hospital ship and several destroyers returned Port Arthur between dawn and mid-day of 11th. Apparently no damage to Japanese fleet."

A cablegram has also been received from Mr. Fowler, American Consul-General at Chefoo, stating that two Japanese torpedo boats entered the harbor and attacked the Russian torpedo boat which arrived there several days ago and dismantled, captured her and took her out.

WHAT ALEXIEFF SAYS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 12.—The Emperor has received the following dispatch from Viceroy Alexieff, dated August 11:

"According to a report from the commandant at Port Arthur, the squadron put to sea August 10. The steamer Mongolia followed the squadron. The following Japanese vessels were on the horizon—three first-class cruisers, eight smaller cruisers and seventeen torpedo boats. The port had been bombarded with siege guns for the past four days."

TO JAPANESE LEGATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Aug. 12.—A dispatch from Tokio to the Japanese Legation here says: "According to reports received up to the present, the Russian squadron emerged from Port Arthur, was attacked by our fleet south of Yentao, and dispersed. The Askold, Novik and another cruiser and a destroyer took refuge at Kiaochou. Another destroyer took refuge at Chefoo. August 11, five battleships, a cruiser—probably the Diana, a hospital ship and several torpedo destroyers seemed to regain Port Arthur. Our fleet is believed to be undamaged."

OFF SADDLE ISLANDS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SHANGHAI, Aug. 12.—A Russian torpedo-boat destroyer arrived here today.

It is reported that four Russian battleships are off the Saddle Islands, about seventy miles southeast of this port.

Three Russian cruisers are reported to have arrived at Tsing Chou, at the entrance of Kiaochou Bay.

[The Saddle Islands are about 550 miles from Port Arthur, which place the Russian squadron left at 7 a.m. Wednesday, August 10. Yen Tao, or Yang Tau, is a small island off the Elliott group in the Korean Gulf. It is about one hundred and ten miles northeast of Port Arthur.—Associated Press.]

COALING AT TSINGCHOU.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEFOO, Aug. 12, 7 p.m.—An undoubted authority confirms the reports that Russian warships have arrived at Tsingchou. He says they consist of the protected cruisers Novik and Askold and a battleship of the Czarevitch type. Two of them and one torpedo-boat destroyer, he adds, are taking Cardiff coal on board.

The cruiser and one torpedo-boat destroyer are now entering Shanghai. There are indications that the remainder of the Russian squadron has returned to Port Arthur. The Japanese are guarding all points.

GERMAN CRUISERS PREPARING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEFOO, Aug. 12, 1 p.m.—The report that two Russian cruisers and one torpedo-boat destroyer had entered the port of Tsingchou, Kiaochou Bay, last night (Thursday,) is confirmed. The cruisers are the Askold and the Diana, not the Novik, as previously reported. The German cruisers Fuerst Bismarck and Thetis are preparing to leave Chefoo for that port. Two Russian torpedo boats are said to have been captured on the Chinese coast.

It is believed that the attempt of the Russian ships at Port Arthur to join the Vladivostok squadron has been thwarted.

FUERST BISMARCK LEAVES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEFOO, Aug. 12, 2 p.m.—The German armored cruiser Fuerst Bismarck has just left for the port of Tsingchou. Her preparations were made in the greatest haste. Private interests seeking information from Tsingchou can get no replies, as the wires are jammed with official telegrams to and from Peking.

THE NOVIK ESCAPES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHEFOO, Aug. 13, Noon.—A message has just been received here saying that the Russian cruiser Novik escaped from Tsingchou at the expiration of the time limit of twenty-four hours set upon her remaining there. No fighting at sea has yet been reported.

SHE WORE DIAMONDS.

Mrs. G. Hancock's Apparent Fate.

Woman Lost Off the Steamer at Santa Barbara Was Probably Murdered.

Husband Says She Had Fifty Thousand Dollars in Lustrous Gems.

Man Arrives at Denver With Story of Her Disappearance.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. George Hancock was murdered. This is the theory the detectives are now working on. She wore $50,000 worth of diamonds around her neck the night she disappeared from the steamer J. S. Higgins, near Santa Barbara, June 20, and the belief is that the thief followed her from San Francisco, or one of the crew of the steamer, seeing her gems, seized them, and threw her overboard to cover the crime. Hancock suspected this from the start, but his suspicions were only made known to the detectives and a few of his personal friends.

However, the secret leaked out, and the news was conveyed to Denver friends of the former real estate man today. What gives strength to the theory of possible murder is the fact that Mrs. Hancock carried on her person diamonds valued at $50,000. These she wore on rare occasions, and few knew she possessed them. Private detectives are working on the theory that possibly the woman was followed from San Francisco aboard the boat by one familiar with her possession of the gems, and the idea is considered plausible by Denver friends.

Among the handsomest pieces of jewelry was a sunburst containing an eleven-carat diamond, a wedding gift of her husband. No trace of any diamonds has been found. A guest at a hotel in San Francisco when Mr. and Mrs. Hancock were there came to Denver this morning with the story that Mrs. Hancock was in possession of her diamonds the night she took the boat, and that she wore them at dinner on that occasion.

DECISION AGAINST BRYAN.

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) Aug. 12.—A decision adverse to W. J. Bryan in his contest over the will of the late P. S. Bennett of New York and this city, was handed down today by the Supreme Court of Errors. The decision virtually denies that Bryan is entitled to $50,000 mentioned in the sealed letter written by Bennett and addressed to his widow, to be read after his death.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Broadway Central, A. T. Lapworth; New Amsterdam, T. S. Ensign; St. Denis, H. H. Goodrich and wife, Miss H. L. Goodrich, Mrs. C. L. Goodrich of Pasadena; Park Avenue, Miss C. B. Budd, Miss S. D. Martin, Miss R. Lang of Riverside.

PARAGUAY'S REBELLION.

Government Vessel is Taken After a Fight—Rebels Seizing Towns.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BUENOS AYRES, Aug. 12.—[By South American Cable.] A number of Paraguayans have been killed or wounded in a combat between a revolutionary vessel and a steamer commandeered by the government. The latter vessel was captured, and is now manned by revolutionists.

The acting Minister of War, who was on board the steamer, attempted to escape by jumping overboard and swimming to the river bank, but was taken prisoner before reaching shore.

The revolutionists have seized the towns of Humaita, Villa de Pillar and Villa de France. Tranquility prevails in Asuncion, and the government is preparing to resist the impending attack upon the capital. Many revolutionists who entered Argentina unarmed are now joining the insurgents. It is expected that the insurrection will be successful.

HEIR TO THE THRONE OF RUSSIA IS BORN.

His Name is Alexis, and Salutes and Bells Proclaim to All People of the Empire that the Czar's Deepest Wish is Gratified.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Aug. 13.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Kleine Journal says it expects that the birth of an heir to the Russian throne will be followed in a few days by a proclamation of a constitution, claiming to have been informed that Emperor Nicholas vowed he would give a constitution to Russia if the Empress gave birth to a son.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 12, 2:15 p.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A son and heir to the Russian throne has been born. The Empress and the child are doing well. The accouchement occurred at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon. The child will be christened Alexis.

The birth, so greatly wished for, occurred not in the great palace of Peterhof, but in the Alexandra villa, one of a group of four small palaces in a secluded corner of the magnificent Peterhof Park.

In one of these buildings the Empress had been living for weeks. The other three are occupied by members of the imperial family, gathered there in expectation of today's event, including the Empress's mother, His Majesty's two sisters, the Grand Duchess Xenia and Olga; his brother, Grand Duke Michael, and other relatives.

The Alexandra villa is a much more private spot than the grand palace. The warm, brown-tinted buildings, in the corner of which rises a tall, square watch tower, are set in a thick forest of oaks, birches and lindens, hiding them from view on every side except toward the Gulf of Finland, whose waters almost lap the foundation of the nearest shoreward building.

From this section of the park the public has been excluded for days past, while a short mile down the coast children romped and shouted under the deserted windows of the big Peterhof palace and crowds of visitors gathered each afternoon to watch the marvelous fountains, second only in all Europe to those of Versailles.

The birth of the heir to the throne was attended with all the ceremonial ordained by imperial tradition. In accordance with the Russian law, there were present, besides the Emperor, Baron Fredericks, master of ceremonies; and Prince Dolgorouky, Grand Marshal of the Court. Dr. Rott, the Emperor's family physician, was the accoucher and Dr. Hadruch was the surgeon in attendance.

Dr. Rott personally announced the birth of the heir to the awaiting imperial family. A formal announcement will be published in the Official Messenger. An imperial salute of 101 guns was subsequently fired, first from Peterhof and it was then repeated by all the forts around St. Petersburg.

The christening of the heir will take place in a fortnight. It will be a ceremony of the most elaborate sort. In accordance with Russian imperial custom it will be performed in the imperial chapel of the Peterhof palace, credited with being the most magnificent chapel in Russia.

SALUTES ANNOUNCE TIDINGS.

The announcement from Peterhof was imediately followed by a salute of 101 guns from the imperial yacht lying at anchor off the palace, but it was 2:45 p. m. when the guns of St. Peter and St. Paul fortress, opposite the Winter Palace conveyed the glad tidings to the people of the Russian capital.

The effect was electrical. With the boom of the first gun, the people in the streets, who had been momentarily expecting the event for 24 hours, stopped to listen and count the guns. Only 31 are fired for a girl. When the 32nd gun was fired there were scenes of rejoicing everywhere and before the salute was fired the whole city had blossomed out with flags and bunting and the shipping in the harbor was dressed. Then the bells of the churches began to ring wildly.

In the meantime, the announcement had been telegraphed to the most remote corners of the Empire. In all the towns and cities the glad tidings were spread with clanging of bells and booming cannon. Thanksgiving services followed in all the churches. At the chapel of Alexandra villa the Emperor and the Imperial family attended a Te Deum.

The formal announcement of the birth will be made by the Metropolitans of St. Petersburg, Moscow and Kieff at solemn masses tomorrow. In the various ministries this afternoon the officials were convoked to hear the announcement.

ALLEVIATES DEFEATS.

The hearts of the Russian people are likely to be more deeply touched by the good fortune of the imperial family than by a dozen victories or defeats in the Far East and the superstitious Russian character will read in it an augury of a better time.

St. Seraphim, who was canonized ast summer by the Emperor at Saroff, has now become a favorite patron saint, as the birth of the heir is attributed chiefly to his interposition. The Emperor will signalize the event by some gracious act, like the remission of taxes and amnesty, and for the next two weeks, until the christening, there will be a holiday and public fetes of all kinds.

There is already a revival of the talk that with the succession to the throne assured, the Emperor will follow the example of the house of Romanoff and go to the front.

The heir's name will be Alexis Nikolaevitch, and if he reigns he probably will assume the title of Alexis II. The last Alexis was emperor of Muscovy in 1645.

The Emperor and Empress of Russia (formerly Princess Alix of Hesse,) who were married November 14, 1894, had, previous to the birth of the child born today, four daughters—Olga, born November 3, 1895; Tatiana, born May 29, 1897; Marie, born June 14, 1899, and Anastasia, born June 5, 1901.

AT ALEXANDRA VILLA.

The Emperor and Empress have for some time past, in anticipation of the event of today, been residing at Alexandra villa, at Peterhof, the summer palace of Their Majesties. The villa, so called, is situated on one of the most beautiful parks in Russia, about one and a half hours' ride from St. Petersburg on the Baltic railroad, which runs east from St. Petersburg to the shores of the Baltic, extending as far as Riga.

In the park are several lakes, at the end of one of which is the "golden staircase," with marble steps covered with real gold. The palace is not a large building as compared with the Winter Palace at St. Petersburg. In the park are several other palaces occupied by different grand dukes and their suites, and in the neighborhood are many residences of the nobility and gentry.

The Queen of Greece, sister of the Dowager Empress, a great favorite with the Russians; and the other members of the imperial family assembled at Peterhof early last month and have been there ever since. Daily, large crowds of people have also gathered at Peterhof, for it seemed as if the whole nation was drawing near to the sovereign.

The people throughout Russia, notably the clergy, have been praying for an heir to the throne and the famous Greek priest, Father John of Creenstadt had recently been visiting the Alexandra Villa at intervals to join in the prayers for an heir to the throne of Russia.

Incidentally, Father John, who is worshiped by the people and who has great influence over the Emperor, is said to have stated that the Emperor would have seven daughters before he would have a son and that the eighth child of the Empress would be a son. This prophecy was firmly believed by the Russian people.

ANXIETY TEMPERS REJOICING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 13, 3:30 a.m.—St. Petersburg tonight is divided between rejoicing over the birth of an heir to the throne and anxiety as to the fate of the Port Arthur squadron. As has happened on several occasions since the war began, a fête day at the capital coincides with an important development at the front and national thanksgiving is tempered with solemnity.

A day marked by the display of flags, the firing of salutes, the holding of religious services and the extending of official congratulations was followed by a night of brilliant illumination. Garlands and lamps were strung tonight across almost every house front, while from many of the larger buildings flashed the Russian arms, the imperial monogram and other devices picked out in electric globes.

Early tens of thousands of tapers glimmered before the altars of St. Petersburg's many shrines. In chapels and cathedrals everywhere there were solemn choruses of thanksgiving—from the imperial chapel of the Peterhof Palace to the humble lamp-lit shrines of the streets, where the hurrying pedestrians, laborers and drosky drivers waited to cross themselves.

The street crowds tonight were, however, more quiet than on a holiday, for a popular rejoicing over the event at the Alexander Villa could not dispel the anxiety which prevailed regarding the fate of the squadron on which so much depends.

REPORTS EAGERLY SCANNED.

At the Admiralty, where the officers were on duty late tonight, every report received was eagerly scanned but fragmentary news from foreign and Japanese sources left much doubt as to the result of the fight between the Port Arthur squadron and the Japanese fleet and as to the whereabouts of the Russian ships.

All that seems to be established is that there was a day's running fight and a night torpedo attack in which some of the ships became parted from the squadron, but the last dispatches from Shanghai seem to indicate that the Japanese were beaten off, though with what damage is not clear.

Thought at least four Russian battleships appear to have reached the open sea, the cruisers Pallada, Askold and Diana and one battleship remain unaccounted for. The injuries sustained by the battleship Czarevitch give her sanctuary in the harbor of Tsing Chou, but the Novik is under notice served by the Germany authorties to leave. As she is very fast, being capable of making twenty-three knots an hour, there are strong hopes that she will escape unless there are Japanese cruisers awaiting her on the outside.

WHY NAME ALEXIS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 13, 3:30 a.m.—The Emperor was greatly restricted in the choice of a name for the heir to the throne by the fact that the imperial initials, which everywhere appear in public edifices, on soldier's epaulettes, saddlecloths, railway wagons, etc., are "A" and "N." The selection of a name not beginning with these letters would entail enormous expense should the heir come to the throne.

There are a great many traditions about the name. The first Alexis, who won many victories over the Poles endeared himself to his people and is known in Russian history as "The father of his country."

NOT A LUCKY ONE.

The name is not a particularly lucky one. Alexis Petrovitch was ordered to be executed by his father, Peter the Great, for treason but died in prison.

A curious coincidence is that the heir was born on the anniversary of the canonization of St. Seraphim and another coincidence is that the birth occurred on the anniversary of the appointment of Admiral Alexieff as Viceroy in the Far East..

EMPRESS DOING WELL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 13, 4 a.m.—This morning the Empress and the heir to the throne are both making satisfactory progress.

An imperial manifesto is published announcing the birth of an heir. It invites all Russians to offer their prayers for the prosperity of the heir to the throne.

In receiving the congratulations of his court yesterday, the Emperor, in a brief reply, said:

"I am happier at the birth of a son and heir than at a victory of my troops, for now I face the future calmly and without alarm,' knowing by this sign that the war will be brought to a happy conclusion."

CZAR'S PROCLAMATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 13, 5:55 a.m.—The official announcement of the birth of an heir to the throne was first made in the following proclamation by Emperor Nicholas at the Peterhof palace. The peace proclamation is dated July 30th (Russian style) but it was not distributed until early this morning:

"By the grace of God, We, Nicholas II, Emperor and Autocrat of all the Russias, Czar of Poland, Grand Duke of Finland, etc., etc., announce to all our faithful subjects that our dear wife, Empress Alexandra Feodorovna, was safely delivered of our son Alexis.

"This joyous event is vouchsafed us and our kingdom by God as a blessing.

"Our prayers should be rendered to the Most High for a continuance in growth and health of this our born son, who is to be our heir and who is committed to our care by God for the perpetuation of our great office in the State.

"According to our manifesto issued July 28, 1899, we appointed our dear brother, Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch, as heir apparent until a son should be born to us. From the present day this title devolves upon our son, Alexis, with the calling and title of heir apparent and all rights attached thereto.

"Given at Peterhof, the thirtieth day of July, in the year of our Lord, 1904, and the tenth year of our reign. Signed with our own hand,

"NICHOLAS."

BERLIN ALSO REJOICES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Aug. 13.—The Berlin newspapers comment with joy that a German Princess has finally given birth to an heir to the throne of all the Russias. The Russian embassy is gayly decked with flags, in honor of the event.

THE VERY LATEST.

WAR NEWS AFTER MIDNIGHT.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Russia's Port Arthur war fleet is a wreck, as far as offensive purposes are concerned. In a sea fight of seven hours, Wednesday afternoon and evening Admiral Togo defeated six battleships, four cruisers and two torpedo flotillas of the enemy without impairing the strength of his own fleet. Nightfall and a dense mist permitted several of the crippled warships to find a refuge in Port Arthur harbor. Others are scattered along the Chinese coast and the cruiser Pallada is missing. Admiral Togo, when wiring his success to Tokio yesterday, had not heard from his torpedo boat fleet, which probably destroyed many of the Russian ships of the same class.

The battleships Retvizan, Sevastopol, Poltava, Pobeida and Peresviet, with the cruiser Diana, all badly battered and unseaworthy, made Port Arthur with a big list of dead and wounded.

The cruiser Askold is at Woosang, outside of Shanghai, with one lieutenant and eleven men killed, fifty wounded, her fifth funnel gone, her other funnels riddled with shell holes, her guns on the port side dismounted and several large holes above her water line.

In Kaiochou Harbor are the battleship Czarevitch, the cruiser Novik and an unnamed torpedo-boat destroyer. The battleship has one battery smashed, her deck wrecked and several holes in her armament. She cannot safely put to sea. The damage to the Novik is unknown. The stern of the torpedo-boat destroyer is torn by shell fire.

Nothing has been heard of the Pallada, nor of the remainder of the fourteen Russian torpedo-boat destroyers engaged.

Of equal significance is the news today from the Japanese land lines about Port Arthur and from the southern armies of Oku and Nodzu, persistently pressing on Russian lines.

Authentic news from Shanhaikwan makes certain the near fall of Port Arthur. The Japanese are on the tableland west of the fortress, and their guns are hammering the inside forts.

Japan's Southern armies have advanced across the Thu River, within nine miles of Anshan, ready for the final attack, which, it is now believed, will be made tomorrow.

ORDERED TWO BATTLESHIPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Aug. 12.—According to the Shipping Gazette, Japan has just ordered two large battleships of twenty-three knots from Vickers, Maxim and Armstrong, in addition to the battleship already building there.

JAPS TO MAKE AMENDS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The general opinion of the London morning papers is that Japan will make atonement for the Ryeshitelni affair by restoring the ship to the Chinese authorities, but at the same time it is admitted that international obligations have so frequently been thrust aside during the course of the war that Japan may possibly feel entitled to make a law unto herself.

The greatest interest is evidenced in the outcome of the naval battle, throwing light on which no further news has reached London.

NOTHING FROM KIAOCHOU.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Aug. 13.—The Berlin morning papers have no further information regarding the situation at Kiaochou. They make little comment beyond printing the semi-official pronunciamento in the North German Gazette, which affirms that Germany will enforce neutrality and strictly observe international law. In expatiating on this pronunciamento, the papers say that even the identity of the Russian ships at Tsing Chou is in doubt.

In connection with the capture of the Ryeshitelni, the papers give prominence to the official view of the United States government, but refrain from committing themselves by any expression of opinion or to the giving of any indication of the views of the German government.

DARING RECONNOISSANCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ANSHANSHAN, Aug. 12.—Capt. Zlezantzeff has just returned from a daring reconnaissance of the Japanese lines as far as Haicheng, bringing important information. He says there are decided signs of unrest, among the population of the country between the Liao and the Taitse rivers, following the Russian evacuation and the Japanese occupation of Yinkow. He believes that this is due to the close approach of the Chinese Gen. Ma's army. There have been two days' heavy rain in this region, and the heat has abated.

FIVE BATTLESHIPS DAMAGED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOKIO, Aug. 13, 10 a. m.—Admiral Togo reports that five of the Russian battleships appear to have been heavily damaged in the engagement of August 10. The Pobieda lost two masts, and one of her heavy guns was disabled. The flagship Retvizan, which was hit several times at a distance of 3500 yards, seems to have sustained the greatest injury. The damage inflicted on the Russian cruisers was comparatively slight. The Bayan has not appeared since the engagement. The damage sustained by the Japanese vessels has been temporarily repaired.

AWAITING NEXT ATTACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ANSHANSHAN, Aug. 11.—[Delayed in transmission.]—A Russian correspondent of the Associated Press says:

"We are awaiting developments here, and speculating as to what will be the next move, how many men and how many guns the Japanese will be able to muster against us and where the expected big battle will occur. It is impossible at present to say whether a stand will be made at Liao Yang, which is excellently fortified, at Mukden, or, as some say, at Harbin. The indications, however, point to Liao Yang.

"There is a general feeling that our cavalry and infantry in open country will be at a greater advantage than they would be in the hill fighting further south.

"It is estimated that the Japanese force consists of from 240,000 to 260,000 men, with 600 guns. It is expected that they will detach a portion of their troops near Port Arthur also, before pushing home the great attack. They are expected to bring up siege guns, but we are well equipped with field siege trains.

"It is also no secret here that the Japanese are trying to flank us and to cut off our reinforcements from the north, but there is considerable question, as to their ability to do so, as such a move would necessitate from 350,000 to 400,000 troops, which it is not believed the Japanese have at their disposal."

PULLING OF PIGTAILS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LIAO YANG, Aug. 12.—A Russian correspondent of the Associated Press who has arrived here says:

"We are daily expecting a big battle in the direction of Anshanshan. It probably has been delayed by the rains.

"The Japanese were checked at Benitzu (twenty-eight miles east of Liao Yang) while advancing on the Yantai Coal Mines. It is reported that there was a panic among the troops, resulting in great loss of life, but this cannot be confirmed.

"The town is swarming with Japanese spies, whom it is impossible to distinguish from Chinamen. They are occasionally caught by the test of pulling their pigtails."

FORWARD MOVEMENT ON THE SOUTH FRONT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 12.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Emperor has received the following dispatch from Gen. Kouropatkin, dated August 11:

"A forward movement of a small detachment of Japanese against the south front of the Manchurian army was observed today. Bands of Chinese bandits, led by Japanese officers, are beginning to appear in the region of the Liao River, above Newchwang."

Gen. Kouropatkin also reports a skirmish in which the Japanese lost fifteen men killed or wounded and the Russians, one man killed. He says no important changes have taken place on the east front.

NIXON TO BUILD SHIPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 12.—Lewis Nixon of New York has closed a large contract with the Department of Mercantile Marine for building ships for the Black Sea. The correspondent of the Associated Press is unable to ascertain the number or class of ships to be built, but it can be stated that they will be constructed in the yards at Sebastopol. The work of construction will begin next winter. Nixon will personally supervise the building of the ships.

KILLED AND WOUNDED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The Japanese legation has received a revised list of casualties on the Japanese side from the battle of Chingjiu, March 28, up to and including the battle of Yang Tse Ling, August 1, showing the total estimated casualties to be 12,055. The largest losses resulted from the battles of Kinchou and Nanshan, when thirty-three officers and 716 men were killed and 3455 men were wounded. The next largest loss was suffered in the battle of Telissu, June 15, when the total casualties were 1173, including seven officers killed and forty-three wounded. The actual known losses for the period of this report are given as follows:

Killed—Officers, fifty-four; men, 1509.

Wounded—Officers, ninety-six; men, 6330.

To which are added the estimated casualties for some of the engagements, amounting to 4066, making the grand total of 12,055.

IN CHARGE OF CHINESE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—A special to the Chicago Daily News from Chefoo, dated August 12, says:

"After the Russian destroyer Ryeshitelni arrived here yesterday it was boarded by an officer from the Chinese cruiser Hai Chi, who stayed on deck until the vessel had been completely dismantled. The same evening the small arms and breech blocks of the guns were loaded into the Chinese launch and taken in charge of the Chinese authorities.

"The Japanese torpedo boats, which were observed scouting about the harbor entrance during the afternoon, entered at 8 p.m. and anchored 500 yards from the Russian destroyer. An official report from the master of the lightship to the commissioner of customs, filed this morning, states that about midnight he observed a small boat lowered from one of the Japanese vessels run alongside the Russian destroyer. An officer and five armed men were in the Japanese boat. They boarded the destrower and began firing. Hand-to-hand fighting continued for about an hour.

"Most of the crew of the Russian boat jumped overboard; others were thrown over. The entire affair was witnessed by the master of the lightship, which was only 100 feet away. He had a boat lowered, and rescued one officer and two men. It is thought that several of the crew were killed, and that some were drowned. Capt. Shestakovsky of the Russian destroyer was wounded. He is now aboard the Hai Chi.

"Toward morning the two Japanese torpedo boats approached the Russian destroyer, fastened a rope to the bow, raised the anchor and began to tow the vessel from the harbor. Just then a loud explosion took place in the forward part of the destroyer, resulting in little damage. One of the officers rescued by the lightship states that the moment the Japanese began towing the vessel the captain gave orders to the balance of the crew still aboard to explode the magazine. The attempt, however, was a partial failure. When the Japanese torpedo boat towed the Ryeshitelni out of the harbor, they were compelled to pass in full view of three Chinese cruisers."

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Disturbances at Gonaives.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The State Department today received a cablegram from Minister Powell stating it was rumored there were disturbances at Gonaives, and that the American Consulate there was full of refugees. Minister Powell added that everything was perfectly quiet at Port au Prince at the time he was cabling and that there was no occasion for alarm.

Oak Bar Postmaster.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William B. Rider was appointed postmaster at Oak Bar, Siskiyou county, Cal., vice Henry J. Barton, resigned.

LONG BUGGY TRIP.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. John Skinner have arrived at South Chicago on a trip from California with a horse and buggy. They left Los Angeles December 2 and will go to Akron, Mich., where Skinner, who is 78 years old, will visit Frank Lewis, a comrade in the Seventeenth Michigan Infantry. Four sets of wheels have been worn out on the journey. Mr. and Mrs. Skinner will return to California in the same way.

Real Estate Operators.

The Times Real Estate Number, to be issued August 22, will be designed for distribution among homeseekers, settlers and tourists. Those desiring advertising space in it should consult the business office at once. No advertising will be received for it after August 15. The "Liner" rate will be 3 cents per word.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CAMP ATASCADERO, Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Maj.-Gen. MacArthur today made his first formal inspection of the regular troops in camp and a martial sight it was. At 8 o'clock in the morning the Fifteenth and the provisional regiments of infantry, the hospital corps, the First, Fifth and Twenty-fourth batteries of field artillery and the Third squadron of the Ninth Cavalry proceeded in light marching order to the reviewing grounds south of the long plain where the encampment proper is located.

Here the infantry was drawn up on the right in three-company order. The hospital corps and the field artillery, eighteen guns with their caissons, were in the center, with the cavalry on the left, clad in their khaki uniforms. The troops had a businesslike, neat and soldierly appearance. There was no bright display, no glitter except from arms and band instruments; everything suggested the practical campaign rather than the spectacular parade.

Accompanied by his staff, Gen. MacArthur, as soon as the line was formed, riding its entire length, carefully scrutinizing each organization, his experienced eye quick to discern military virtues and vices—but the latter were missing. He seemed pleased with the whole force.

PASSED IN REVIEW.

After the inspection, the troops passed in review before the general and his staff, in the rear of whom were drawn up in line, mounted, the twenty-nine umpires of the maneuvers. Forming in column of companies, the infantry, headed by Col. A. S. Marley, marched past with their fine bands playing Sousa's spirited marches. It was a stirring spectacle from start to finish. Weeks of continuous drill under careful officers showed good effects.

Alignments were good, distances remarkably accurate. Passing the reviewing officer at "port arms," with officers saluting and colors lowered, the infantry continued on to camp, followed by the unarmed but trim-looking hospital corps. Next came the field artillery, rumbling grimly in column of batteries under Maj. E. T. Brown, the mounted trumpeters playing lustily. The colored troopers of the Ninth cavalry, under Lieut. Col. E. A. Goodwin, among whom were many of those who fought so well as Las Guayamas and San Juan Hill, brought up the rear. The first representatives of the California National Guard arrived here this afternoon in the persons of Col. Thomas Wilhelm, U. S. A., retired, inspecting.

HOSPITAL CORPS WORK.

This afternoon there was more picturesque field work by the hospital corps, under the direction of Maj. William Stephenson and William R. Kendall. Monday the hospital corps of the whole division will be practiced at full distances by Col. A. C. Girard. The Adjutant General's report shows the regular troops attending the encampment to be 2304 officers and men, divided as follows: Headquarters, thirteen officers, ten men; umpires, twenty-nine officers; headquarters guard, one officer, ninety-seven men; Signal Corps, three officers, seventy-one men; Hospital Corps, four officers, forty men, Third Squadron, Ninth Cavalry, 100 officers, 248 men. Field artillery battalion, nine officers, 290 men; Fifteenth Infantry, thirty-eight officers, 644 men; Provisional regiment of infantry, thirty-one officers, 710 men.

During the afternoon, while conveying a party of umpires over the grounds in the rear of division headquarters, the new automobile of the signal service broke down and had to be laid up for repairs for the rest of the day. The accident was not serious.

The greatest efforts are made to prevent either of the opposing forces—the "Blues" and the "Browns,"—which will be the military problems of the next two weeks, from getting an inkling of each other's plans. The results of each problem will be given privately to the participating commanding officers the night before the problem is presented. Neither will know the other's plans, the strength or disposition of its forces. These are to be found out by the same methods that would be adopted in actual war.

One of the most significant and impressive scenes of today was the correspondence with which the regular officers received those of the National Guard when they arrived. They were literally taken into camp," made to feel at home from the start and treated in every way as brother officers.

REGULARS EXTEND GLAD HAND.

This being the first encampment of regulars and National Guard in California, some embarassment on both sides was anticipated, but it was not noticeable. The regular officers extended the glad hand and in return the militiamen seemed to feel deeply the graciousness of their work. They acted as though put upon their mettle, and it is the universal opinion that this training of the professional and the amateur soldiers will materially benefit the latter and at the same time

PACIFIC SLOPE.

FIRST FORMAL INSPECTION.

Gen. MacArthur Looks Over Soldiers at Camp.

Everything Suggests Practical Side of Warfare.

Fatal Stockton Hotel Fire. Captain Overboard.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CAMP ATASCADERO, Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Maj.-Gen. MacArthur today made his first formal inspection of the regular troops in camp and a martial sight it was. At 8 o'clock in the morning the Fifteenth and the provisional regiments of infantry, the hospital corps, the First, Fifth and Twenty-fourth batteries of field artillery and the Third squadron of the Ninth Cavalry proceeded in light marching order to the reviewing grounds south of the long plain where the encampment proper is located.

Here the infantry was drawn up on the right in three-company order. The hospital corps and the field artillery, eighteen guns with their caissons, were in the center, with the cavalry on the left, clad in their khaki uniforms. The troops had a businesslike, neat and soldierly appearance. There was no bright display, no glitter except from arms and bugle instruments; everything suggested the practical campaign rather than the spectacular parade.

A number of militia officers arrived today, most of them commissaries of different organizations.

While the umpires were making a trip of inspection of the Signal Corps in an automobile inspecting the grounds, the automobile broke down. Connections were made with headquarters and a mule team was sent out to draw it back.

Tomorrow morning at 5 o'clock the militia will begin to arrive and operations will begin.

TO MANUFACTURE MATTING.

NEW CALIFORNIA INDUSTRY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—The California Promotion Committee has received word that Gen. W. S. Green of Colusa, president of the Sacramento Valley Development Association, expects to introduce into California the manufacture of carpet matting from swamp grass. Gen. Green has been in correspondence with a firm in Maine, and the facts indicate that rushes of the character from which matting is made can be grown in lowlands of the Sacramento Valley.

R. H. Sawyer, manager of a matting company of Kennebank, Me., has written the Sacramento Valley Development Association, that from sample sent him it is the finest looking matting grass he has seen in America. The grass used in the manufacture of matting in the United States is imported from Japan at a cost of $60 per ton. Seventy-five million yards of matting are imported annually into this country.

GOV. PARDEE AT PORTLAND.

LOOKING OVER FAIR PLANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORTLAND, Aug. 12.—A committee representing the State of California, including Gov. Pardee, C. H. Markham, general manager of the Southern Pacific Railroad; William F. Herrin, chief council for the Southern Pacific; R. P. Schwerin, vice-president and general manager of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company; J. O. Hayes, editor of the San José Mercury; Alfred Holman, editor of the Sacramento Record; J. W. Byrnes and William Sproules of San Francisco, and Robert Devlin of Sacramento, arrived in Portland today.

They will look over the plans and prospects of the Lewis and Clark Exposition, select a site and arrange for California's building, and do some of the preliminary work connected with the exhibit which the Golden State will install.

LUNCHEON TO VISITORS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND, Aug. 12.—This afternoon luncheon was served to the visitors beneath a group of majestic fir trees on the exposition grounds. Besides the visiting delegation there were present Baron Matsudaira, vice-president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Commission from Japan, who arrived here today from St. Louis, and several gentlemen of local prominence, including Gov. Chamberlain of Oregon; Gen. George H. Williams, Mayor of this city, and President W. M. Goode of the exposition company.

Welcoming addresses were made by Gov. Chamberlain and Gen. Williams, and a response by Gov. Pardee. The Governor complimented his hosts upon the location of the fair site and upon the progress that had been made. He promised the hearty coöperation of California in making the fair a success.

FATAL FIRE AT STOCKTON.

HISTORIC HOTEL BURNS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

STOCKTON, Aug. 12.—Louis Ring, janitor of a near-by school building, was burned to death at an early hour this morning in a fire which destroyed the Columbia Hotel, an old frame structure at the corner of Channel and San Joaquin streets. John Brown and Tim O'Connell, roomers, narrowly escaped with their lives, both being severely burned.

There were sixteen people in the building, which burned like tinder, and most of them were unable to escape by their own efforts, being rescued by firemen and others. "Kid" Williams, the prize fighter, saved at least one man's life, and there were other deeds of heroism. The loss is about $7000, with $2000 insurance. Hard work on the part of the department was required to save adjoining buildings.

The building was a historic one, having been brought across the plains from New York in sections at a cost of $11,000.

NATIVE SONS' EXCURSION.

MANY GOING TO ST. LOUIS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—An excursion to St. Louis has been arranged by the Native Sons of the Golden West, who will participate in the exercises to be held California Day at the World's Fair, September 9.

A special excursion train will leave Los Angeles Thursday, September 1, and will leave San Francisco Friday, September 2, at 11 a.m. The train will probably consist of three sections, and it is expected that about 500 will take part in the excursion. The native sons will advertise California through the distribution of two carloads of California products put up in attractive cartons. The goods will be carried in two special express cars, which will be attached to the excursion train.

The Native Sons will have an exclusive Pullman service, and are promised the finest train that ever left California. It is expected that 2000 Native Sons will be present to march in the parade on California Day.

CAPTAIN JUMPS OVERBOARD.

TRAGEDY ON THE SPARTAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—The ship Spartan arrived from Puget Sound today reporting that the master, Capt. K. Fjeren, had jumped overboard August 5. He was taken out of the water in an unconscious condition, and died within an hour. He was buried at sea the following day. His wife and two children, to one of whom he was talking at the time he jumped overboard, were on board when the tragic event happened. No motive for the act is known. Fjeren was a Norwegian, 45 years old.

ESTABLISH HEADQUARTERS.

RIVER ENGINEERS AT WORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—The commission of engineers appointed by the river convention held last May has established headquarters at the Flood building. A trip has been arranged, to commence next Monday morning.

Invitations to join the party are being extended to the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, the General Committee of Twenty-five appointed at the recent river convention, the members of the Executive Committee and the California Congress delegation.

PLANS EXPLAINED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Plans of the past, devised to control the flood waters of the Sacramento River, were explained in detail to the Board of Engineers, by W. H. Hall, formerly in charge of the reclamation work.

The most comprehensive plan, Hall said, involved the interception of the waters of the many small streams that flow into the Sacramento River from the west, having their sources in the slopes of the Coast Range. This plan would necessitate the construction of an intercepting channel that would carry these silt-laden streams below the inundated territory, or, if necessary, to tidewater.

Going to the east side of the river, he said, the problem of controlling the debris that is yearly carried down the Feather River into great basins, where the slackening of the water's force would result in the deposit of silt it carried, and then, comparatively clear, the stream would again be turned into the Sacramento River as far down as topography would permit.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Huntington Beach Bank Incorporated.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—The Bank of Huntington Beach, Orange county, has been incorporated with a capital of $25,000.

Waiter Ends His Life.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Guedo Kohler, a waiter, ended his life today in a barroom by swallowing carbolic acid. He was 43 years old.

Native Sons' New Parlors.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Grand Organizer Andrew Mocker has established a new parlor of Native Sons of the Golden West at Alturas. Another parlor has been formed at San Jacinto and has been designated No. 227.

Noted Portuguese Editor Arrives.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Alfredo Mesquita, editor of the Lisbon Daily News, and one of the foremost journalists of Portugal, arrived in this city yesterday. Mesquita is on his way to the St. Louis Exposition, where he will act as press commissioner for his country.

Facilitates Handling of Freight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—The Northern California Counties Electric Railway and Steamer Line has been organized for the purpose of building an electric line to connect Marysville, Oroville and Colusa and of establishing a line of steamboats to connect with the electric line for the handling of freight between valley points and this city.

PORTER BROTHERS' CASE.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Judge Kohlsaat in the United States District Court has entered the final order in the bankruptcy proceeding brought by creditors against Porter Bros., one of the largest wholesale fruit dealers in the country, directing that the creditors whose claims had been proved be paid 24 per cent. The claims amount to $1,500,000.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—Chicago's long string of cool days and nights was broken today. The hot weather which has prevailed in the Northwest is here and apparently has come to stay for a time. Starting this morning from the minimum of 62 deg., the mercury advanced steadily to the maximum of 85 deg. The advent of night produced little change, the record at midnight showing 80 deg. Middle West temperatures: Alpena, 66; Bismarck, 82; Cairo, 84; Cheyenne, 80; Cincinnati, 86; Cleveland, 70; Concordia, 86; Davenport, 84; Denver, 82; Des Moines, 84; Detroit, 70; Dodge City, 86; Dubuque, 86; Duluth, 76; Edmonton, 76; Escanaba, 66; Grand Rapids, 76; Green Bay, 80; Helena, 84; Huron, 88; Indianapolis, 82; Kansas City, 86; Marquette, 70; Memphis, 84; Milwaukee, 80; Minnesota, 56; North Platte, 88; Omaha, 86; Rapid City, 84; St. Louis, 84; St. Paul, 82; Sault Saint Marie, 62; Springfield, Ill., 82; Springfield, Mo., 82; Wichita, 84; Williston, 82.

DEMOCRATS SEEKING DOUGH.

Abandoned by the national organization, the Democratic State Finance Committee met today to devise means of raising a campaign fund. Not only has the prospect for the half million assured from the national exchequer by John P. Hopkins vanished, but it is said that Mayor Harrison will not contribute anything for the campaign outside of Chicago. As a beginning, Senator Stringer, candidate for Governor, was assessed $1000 and his associates on the State ticket $500 each.

OFFER FOR BILLINGS TRACK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MEMPHIS (Tenn.) Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It was reported today that eastern turfmen had offered $400,000 for the Billings trotting track. President Jones denied knowledge of the offer, and expressed the opinion that the report, as well as the reported bid for the union track at St. Louis, was started for the purpose of influencing the Western Jockey Club to admit the St. Louis outlaw track to membership.

HURLEY'S "FULL BLAST."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MADISON (Wis.) Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gov. La Follette is investigating charges filed against the Sheriff and District Attorney at Hurley. A plat of the town of 1800 people shows forty-seven licensed saloons, thirty-two houses of ill-repute and six gambling houses, all in full blast.

TRACTION LINES MORTGAGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SOUTH BEND (Ind.) Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A mortgage for $3,500,000 covering 130 miles of electric railways of the Northern Traction Company of Indiana was filed here today. It is proposed to extend the line from South Bend to Chicago.

SUICIDE OR ALIMONY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LAPORTE (Ind.) Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Truman Smith attempted to commit suicide today to avoid paying his divorced wife alimony. A stomach pump was used on Smith with good effect, but he declares he will try again.

PASHAS CALLED ON LEISHMAN.

FAVORABLE ANSWER TO OUR DEMANDS PROMISED.

Foreign Affairs Discussed by the Cabinet at Washington and a Line of Action is Decided Upon—The State Department Expects Satisfactory Ending.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 11, Thursday.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Naom Pasha, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, called on Minister Leishman this morning at Therapia, a town on the Bosphorus, nine miles northeast of Constantinople. He reiterated the assurances of the government regarding a speedy and favorable reply to the demands touching the rights of American citizens in Turkey.

Subsequently, Izzetc Pasha, secretary of the palace, and Minister of Mines Selim Pasha had a long interview with Minister Leishman, for the purpose of determining upon the text of a reply which may prove acceptable to America.

STATE DEPARTMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—After several days silence, Minister Leishman has been heard from in a dispatch dated at Constantinople last night, recounting the results of the last exchanges between himself and the Foreign Office officials there. The State Department did not see fit to make public the Minister's communication, but did make the general statement that the negotiations had taken a more favorable turn, and there was an expectation of speedy and satisfactory adjustment.

THE CABINET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Foreign affairs, to the practical exclusion of everything else, were considered at the meeting of the Cabinet today. The Turkish situation was discussed at length, and a line of action, in case Mr. Leishman's efforts are unavailing, was agreed to, but its nature was not disclosed.

Secretary Hay also presented to the Cabinet some important information cabled to the State Department by Minister Griscom at Tokio, confirming the reports of a great naval engagement off Port Arthur. It is said that the discussion of the Russo-Japanese situation was purely academic, and not in any sense relative to the attitude of America toward either of the contending powers.

Postmaster-General Payne announced the appointment of A. B. Nichols as postmaster at McCloud, Cal.

SQADRON ON HAND.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—While it is extremely difficult to secure any details of Minister Leishman's last communication and of the response of the State Department, it is gathered that the Minister has informed the State Department of the terms of the proposition advanced to him yesterday by the Turkish officials; that in principle these appeared to the State Department to be satisfactory, and in line with what it has so persistently demanded. But there is, after all, a vagueness about the Turkish statements and promises that has caused the department, having in mind past experience in the way of promises, to instruct Mr. Leishman to see to it that these propositions are reduced to such concrete form and are made in such a binding manner that there cannot be any question as to their fulfillment hereafter by the Turkish government. It is confidently expected that the Turkish negotiators will accede to such a demand on the part of Mr. Leishman, and it is predicted that the negotiations will be concluded successfully by Monday next.

Meanwhile the European squadron is held subject to Mr. Leishman's orders, and when he feels that he no longer needs it at Smyrna, Admiral Jewell will hoist anchor and seek some more congenial spot.

REWARDS FOR BODIES.

Feverish Efforts Being Made to Recover Remains of Victims of Pueblo Wreck.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PUEBLO (Colo.) Aug. 12.—Feverish efforts are being made today by the rescue parties to recover the bodies of the victims of last Sunday night's railroad disaster near Eden. It is realized that recognition of bodies found even now will be very difficult owing to decomposition.

Bloodhounds were used in the hope of locating bodies yesterday, but were called off after one narrowly escaped drowning in the quicksand. More impetus was given the search today by offers of $50 reward for each body found. And in some cases a much larger sum is promised.

That the New York Rapid Transit Subway will be open to traffic next month is the assertion made by Frank Hedley, an official of the Interborough Railway Company.

MEXICAN POLICE WILL BE SHOT.

EL PASO (Tex.) Aug. 12.—Police Commandant Torres of Aguas Calientes, a village of Sinaloa, and the two policemen who killed Clarence Way and Edward Latimer, Americans, have been sentenced to be shot. The sentence was to have been executed this week, but influential riatives of Torres secured a stay of execution. A pardon for Torres is not looked for, however, as the sentiment is high against him. Torres is said to have ordered the arrest of Way and Latimer because they refused to speak to him while he was intoxicated. They resisted arrest and both were shot down.

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These are beautiful pure silk ribbons, measuring from 3½ to 4½ inches wide. They come in stripes plaids, dots, etc., in all the most popular colorings. They were intended to sell at 35c. Special for Saturday, 25c.

50c Veilings 35c

As a special attraction for Saturday we shall price all of our 50c veilings at 35c the yard. These include the new fancy Tuxedo Mesh veilings, in dotted or plain effects, 18 inches wide. This is a rare chance to secure the very latest veilings at an attractive price.

Chiffon Veilings in all colors, 18 inches wide, at 35c.

Automobiling and Circular Veilings, all colors, at 75c each.

The new World's Fair Veil, all silk Chantilly lace, with figured borders, 1½ yards long, at $2.45 each.

Fancy Neckwear 25c

Here is a tempting lot of women's neckwear to be sold at 25c on Saturday. The lot comprises Venise Lace Collars, Buster Brown Embroidered Collars, Madras Collars, prettily trimmed. They are quite exclusive and all of them stylish and effective. Saturday 25c.

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Crushed Leather Belts 25c

Every woman who has not already purchased a crushed leather belt will find this a splendid opportunity. They come in white, red, brown and black, with the popular harness buckle. Belts are 3 inches wide. Most stores sell them at 50c. Hale's Saturday 25c.

Black Silk Belts 75c

These are hand made. The very newest idea in belts. They are trimmed with crochet buttons and rings with pleated girdle back. The very latest styles in buckles. Some stores ask as high as $2.00 for them. Hale's Saturday 75c.

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WANT MAYOR TO INTERVENE.

To Call on Harrison in the Stockyard Strike.

Yesterday Capped Climax of Disorder in Chicago.

Strikers Breeders of Crime, Says Judge Chytraus.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Mayor Harrison will tomorrow be asked to do what he can toward settling the stock yards strike. With all prospects of peace, or even peace conferences gone, the retail meat dealers and grocers tonight decided to ask the city's chief executive to take a position in the present conflict similar to that assumed by him in the street-car strike last fall. The street-railway strike was settled through his efforts.

At a meeting of the retail dealers a committee of ten persons was appointed to wait upon the Mayor tomorrow. Representatives of the strikers were at this meeting and expressed themselves as being satisfied with the plan to ask Mayor Harrison's assistance.

Previous to the decision to request Mayor Harrison to intercede for peace, Cornelius Shea, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, declared in an interview that there would be no more sympathetic strikes of the members of his union. He declared that all the packing-house teamsters now on strike would "stand pat," meaning that they would remain on strike.

Shea's attitude is taken to mean that the teamsters joint council will refuse to sanction any actual walk-outs of its members when they meet Sunday to consider the matter.

CLIMAX OF DISORDER.

A riot in crowded Fifth avenue within a square of City Hall capped the climax of disorder in the stockyards strike today. During the day half a dozen men were hurt in various encounters and shots were fired during an attack on a train load of strike breakers. All told, today's violence was more widespread than in any previous twelve hours of the strike.

Even President Golden of the teamsters' union was attacked while trying to rescue Max Falk, a union teamster. Four hundred persons had pursued Falk, not knowing he was a unionist, and were attacking him when President Golden appeared. Golden mounted the wagon, took the reins and urged back the mob. Stones and sticks were showered at Golden and Falk before Golden, who suffered many injuries was recognized.

SKILLED BUTCHERS RETURN.

Seventy skilled butchers who struck here are reported to have returned to their former employers, Schwarzschild & Sulsberger, to take the places of strikers in the firm's plant at New York. Other alleged desertions of the union during the past twenty-four hours are said to aggregate 319 men, all skilled butchers, 136 of whom are asserted to have been sent to strike-affected cities.

In sentencing four youths to the penitentiary for life today Judge Axel Chytraus in the Criminal Court took occasion to deprecate strikes as breeders of crime. This was evoked by the fact that two of the prisoners were strikers when they began their career of crime. The four youths, Peter Dulfer, David Kelly and James and W. Formby, were known as the "bandit quartette." The Formby brothers were at one time ushers in St. Paul's Congregational Church.

ASSAULTS AT NEW YORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Demonstrations against the non-union men who are taking their places in the packing plants of Schwarzschild & Sulsberger and the United Dressed Beef Company, were renewed today by the striking beef butchers, and their sympathizers. Assaults upon non-union drivers became general during the afternoon, and several men were roughly handled despite the efforts of the police guard assigned to every team.

FIREMEN TO AID STRIKERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen, at its convention today, agreed to a resolution making the eight-hour day the watchword of the organization. The compensation of organizers was increased $1 a day. A committee was authorized to raise $5000 to aid the striking firemen in the meat-packing-houses.

A resolution was passed instructing the various local unions throughout the country to cooperate in gathering statistics as to the wages paid firemen in all Federal buildings. This data is to be used in a campaign for an increase in pay for Federal firemen.

STRIKERS ATTACK TRAIN.

FOLLOWED BY SHOOTING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Shooting followed an attack today on a Lake Shore train bearing a large number of strike-breakers from their homes to work in the stock yards. Windows were broken and a number of the occupants of the train had been struck by flying missiles when one of the strike breakers opened fire into the attacking crowd with a revolver. That no one was struck was little short of miraculous. One bullet passed through the hat of a spectator, grazing his scalp.

MRS. MAYBRICK TALKS.

Says She Can Never Hope to Repay Debt of Gratitude Due Ambassador Choate.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Aug. 13.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Daily Chronicle this morning publishes a three-column interview with Mrs. Florence Maybrick, mostly concerned with her experience during her life in prison. The interviewer describes Mrs. Maybrick as clear-witted, outspoken, mildly robust and in no way shattered, either physically or mentally, though her face is drawn as with grief and suffering.

Describing the arrangements for her release, Mrs. Maybrick said she could never hope to repay the debt of gratitude she owed Ambassador Choate, Henry White, secretary of the American Embassy, and other kind friends, and she wished it known how good the officials of the American Embassy had been to her.

As a practical recognition of the fact that the United States immigration commissioners had decided that she would be regarded as an American citizen, she said that Ambassador Choate provided a gentleman escort for her when she left Truro.

To her interviewer, Mrs. Maybrick protested her innocence as firmly as she had done at the beginning.

She said she experienced nothing but kindness from the prison officials and spoke with deep gratitude of the late Lord Chief Justice Russell's efforts in her behalf.

Mrs. Maybrick declares she was most anxious to get to the United States, saying: "I shall feel happier there.

OBITUARY.

Brig.-Gen. Salstonstall Carpenter.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Brig.-Gen. Salstonstall Carpenter, U.S.A., retired, died today at his residence in Montclair, aged 68 years. He was sent to the relief of Garcia, and served during the Spanish War in the campaign around Santiago and was promoted bridgadier-general of volunteers for gallantry at El Caney.

Seymore Thomson.

EAST ORANGE (N. J.) Aug. 12.—Seymore Thomson, former assistant justice of the Missouri Court of Appeals, died here today. Judge Thomson was a well-known jurist and had written many works on legal practice. He was recently appointed by the President, delegate to the Union Congress of Law and Jurists, to be held at St. Louis next month. He was born in Illinois in 1843 and was a veteran of the Civil War.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES

Some of the coaches of the southbound Chicago and Northwestern passenger train leaving Racine at 11:35 a.m., today were derailed near Barryville. The passengers were uninjured.

The German Foreign Office has heard nothing of the report that Prince Henry is going to America, and altogether discredits it.

At St. Louis officers of the National Society of the Army of the Philippines were elected yesterday. Gen. Wilber F. Metcalfe was chosen president. Chicago was selected as the next place of meeting.

At Boston Henry A. Wyman was yesterday appointed permanent receiver of the Supreme Council of the American Legation of Honor. The insurance commissioners claimed that the condition of the organization was such as to render its continuance hazardous to the public.

At Chicago Michael Burns shot and instantly killed his wife, Mrs. Mabel Burns, at the residence of her parents. The parents say Burns harbored no enmity against his wife, to whom he had been married less than a year. The man had been drinking. He escaped.

In a ruling by Judge H. M. Somerville, the Board of United States General Appraisers has decided that chickens are not household effects. In so doing the board overruled a claim of Mrs. F. Lamarre of Port Townsend, Wash., for free entry for a coop of chickens.

The Denver Times prints a report that Mrs. George Hancock of that city, who disappeared from the steamer J. S. Higgins, near Santa Barbara, June 20, carried on her person $50,000 worth of diamonds on the night of her disappearance, and that detectives are working on the theory that she was robbed and thrown overboard to conceal the crime.

The reward for the return of Antonio Mannanio, the son of a Brooklyn contractor, who has been missing since Tuesday night, was raised yesterday from $500 to $10,000 by the boy's father.

A cablegram has been received from Lieut. C. S. Owen, commanding the detachment of marines at Midway Island, the landing point of the Pacific cable, stating that the employés of the cable company have threatened to leave the island by the next steamer if the order of the Navy Department prohibiting them from carrying firearms and shooting the beautiful birds of the island is enforced. The department has replied that the order must be rigidly enforced.

BRITISH SUBJECT OUTRAGED.

TANGIER, Aug. 12.—Hamit Jai Ya, principal secretary of El Medebhi, the Moorish Minister of War, has been arrested and imprisoned here and his goods confiscated, under order of the Sultan. Jai Ya is a British subject and European residents are indignant. They say that life and property, especially where British subjects are concerned, are unsafe. The British legation has strongly protested to the Moorish government, but so far the protest has been entirely ignored.

SHESTAKOVSKY MEANT TO BLOW UP BOAT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEFOO, Aug. 12, Noon.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Capt. Shestakovsky of the Ryeshitelni, who was wounded in the leg by a bullet, and twenty of his men were saved by boats from the Chinese cruiser Sai Yung. Interviews with Admiral Sah and Capt. Ching, who is in command of the Sai Yung, indicate that the Chinese naval authorities were more active than was at first supposed.

When the first Japanese torpedo-boat destroyer, towing the Ryeshitelni, departed to the northward, the second Japanese destroyer steered a course past the flagship and the cruiser Hai Chi. The latter cleared for action, and signalled to the destroyer to stop. This was done. Admiral Sah informed the Japanese destroyer that the Ryeshitelni must be returned, as neutrality had been flagrantly violated. To this the commander of the second destroyer replied that he would overtake the first destroyer and return to Chefoo. Admiral Sah accepted the word of honor of the Japanese commander and allowed him to depart. The Chinese admiral is deeply chagrined at this occurrence, and is ill as a result. He has turned the command of his squadron over to Capt. Ching.

CAPT. CHING'S ACT.

Capt. Ching says that when the Japanese destroyers entered the harbor of Chefoo, he sent an officer on board and assured Commander Fujimoto that the Ryeshitelni was disabled and that her officers and crew had signed a parole. Later the admiral followed his messenger and personally repeated this information at length, whereupon Commander Fujimoto said he had no designs on the Ryeshitelni. Admiral Sah next sent an officer in a small boat to the lightship, which was near the Ryeshitelni, to watch developments.

Capt. Shestakovsky, feeling insecure, requested that his ammunition and one torpedo boat be returned to him, or a Chinese cruiser prepare to guard him. To this the Chinese officer on the lightship replied that he had been ordered merely to report developments. Accordingly, Capt. Shestakovsky assembled his crew and addressed them, saying that an attack was possible. All the men of the Ryeshitelni slept that night on deck, with life preservers under their heads.

SHESTAKOVSKY RESISTS.

When the lieutenant from one of the Japanese destroyers boarded the Ryeshitelni at 3:30 o'clock in the morning the crew of the boat which brought him, with bayonets affixed to their rifles in their hands, followed their officer. Capt. Shestakovsky protested against this, saying: "I am unable to resist, but this is a breach of neutrality and courtesy."

Capt. Shestakovsky then secretly commanded one of his lieutenants to prepare gunpowder with which to blow up the Russian destroyer. To gain the time necessary to make ready for this step Capt. Shestakovsky argued international law with the Japanese lieutenant, whose reply to all these contentions of the Russian officer invariably was: "Come to the open sea and fight, or prepare to be towed out."

In the meantime, the command was issued quietly to the Russian sailors to resist the Japanese with their fists, in the manner which would be shown them by their captain. Continuing his account of the occurrence Capt. Shestakovsky said:

KNOCKED JAP OVERBOARD.

"The Japanese officer told me to surrender, and that as a prisoner my life was spared. This insult so stung me that I struck the Japanese before I intended to. I was afraid that the explosive to blow up our vessel had not yet been prepared. My blow knocked the lieutenant overboard. In falling, he dragged me with him. He fell into his small boat alongside, while I fell into the water. I clung to his throat, and pummeled him until my hold was broken."

The crew of the Ryeshitelni in the meanwhile had begun fighting with the Japanese sailors, who used their rifles and bayonets. The fighting men scuffled over the deck and fell overboard in struggling pairs, after the example exactly set by their captain. Capt. Shestakovsky, seeing his men fighting on the deck of the destroyer, attempted to climb back on board and command them. He was shot at four times, and while in the water received a deep wound in the right leg.

There were fifty-one Russian officers and men on board the Ryeshitelni, and up to this hour, noon, thirty-five have been accounted for. A number of the Japanese attackers also is believed to have perished. Unable to regain the deck, Capt. Shestakovsky swam to a nearby junk, from which he was driven away by heavy blows with a boat hook. He remained in the water for 50 minutes, swimming in spite of his wound, and was finally picked up by one of the three boats sent out by the Hai Yung. Capt. Ching cared for the Russian captain and two of his lieutenants in his cabin. The Russian sailors rescued by the boats from the Hai Yung exchanged their drenched clothing for the uniforms of the Chinese sailors, in which garb they were brought ashore today to the Russian consulate.

Before leaving Chefoo, Commander Fujimoto sent an outline report of the occurrences of the night to the Japanese consul here. This report differs from that sent by the Associated Press only that it does not say that the Japanese fired at the Russian sailors while the latter were in the water. It adds that the commander was acting under his admiral's orders to fight or capture the Ryeshitelni.

Capt. Shestakovsky is unable to explain why his vessel was not sunk by the explosive made for that purpose. He declares that he is disgraced, although the Russian refugees here insist that he is a hero. His sailors say that he told the Japanese officer to kill him, but that he would never surrender.

The nature of Capt. Shestakovsky's mission to Chefoo is not known, although it is doubtless important. During the interview with the Russian captain regarding the capture of his vessel it was inferred that plans and important papers were burned on board the Ryeshitelni before the Japanese boarding party arrived. The local consuls are making careful reports of the occurrence of last night to their respective governments.

JAPANESE OUTPOSTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Aug. 12.—A dispatch to the Temps from Liao Yang says: "The Japanese outposts are eight miles southward of Haicheng Chuang. The Japanese advance has entirely stopped. The Japanese affirm that several regiments have been detached from the army and sent to Port Arthur."

CARRIED OFF FOUR RUSSIANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHEFOO, Aug. 12, 7 p.m.—It was learned today that four Russian sailors were carried away on the Ryeshitelni.

A junk which has arrived here, having left Port Arthur on August 8, brings confirmation of previous reports of severe fighting day and night. One Japanese shell struck the corner of a building in Port Arthur, and killed or wounded 200 people. Fifteen six-inch shells fell at one spot on the waterfront in one day, but hurt no one.

It is roughly estimated that the Japanese are from five to eight miles from Port Arthur.

RUSSIA PROTESTS IN RYESHITELNI CASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 12, 5:50 p.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Associated Press is able to announce that Russia has already formally protested to Japan, through France, against the action of the Japanese torpedo-boat destroyers in attacking the Russian torpedo-boat destroyer Ryeshitelni at Chefoo and towing her away from that port, and that the protest has been communicated to the powers.

BRITISH THINK IT SERIOUS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The British officials and foreign diplomats regard the action of the Japanese in cutting out the Russian torpedo-boat destroyer Ryeshitelni at Chefoo as raising a serious question of importance to all nations. The Foreign Office received a dispatch from the British Consul at Chefoo confirming the capture of the Ryeshitelni and her removal by her captors from the harbor. The Consul added that the facts were immediately reported to the Chinese government and the diplomats at Peking. The former evinced considerable concern, not so much on account of the fact that the attack was made on the destroyer as the precedent established by Japan, which Russia may follow in case of emergency, thereby extending the area of hostilities, which Secretary Hay sought to circumscribe.

GERMS OF TROUBLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The report of the capture by the Japanese torpedo-boat destroyers of the Russian destroyer Ryeshitelni in the harbor of Chefoo, as cabled to Washington by Consul-General Fowler today, was received with the deepest interest and also concern, for it was realized that there were in this incident the germs of serious international trouble.

Mr. Fowler spoke of the affair as a "cutting-out" expedition, thereby differing in an important point from the press dispatch, which, at first reading, appeared to indicate that the seizure of the Russian boat was in at least some degree caused by the action of the captain of the craft in attacking the Japanese boarding lieutenant. It may be that upon this point will run the decision as to whether or not there has been a violation of Chinese neutrality by the Japanese.

If the expedition was a genuine "cutting out," then there is a question in the mind of the officials here that the Japanese have committed an offense against international law by violating Chinese neutrality, and in addition have broken the agreement they entered into at the beginning of the war, at the instance of the United States government, to limit the field of warlike operation to Manchuria and Korea and their waters.

Should this prove to be the case the results probably will be grave and vexatious. Under the tenets of the international law, the captured vessel must be returned to the custody of the Chinese government and an apology rendered for the offense against Chinese neutrality. But if Russian lives have been lost, as reported in the press dispatches, a greater complication will follow, for Russia may in turn hold the Chinese responsible for the trouble and loss of life.

Altogether, the situation is full of danger, and the main apprehension of the officials here is that it may be the incident which may break down the agreement of the powers and plunge China into the war as a full-fledged belligerent and ally of Japan. The consequences of such an act on China's part upon existing alliances between Japan and Great Britain and between Russia and France, can only be conjectured, and the prospect is so alarming that it is not doubted the State Department will do its utmost, along with the rest of the powers, to effect such a settlement of this incident as shall preserve the agreement as to China in full force.

KNIGHT COMMANDER CASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 12.—The Russian reply to the British representations in the Knight Commander case was handed to Ambassador Hardinge today. As cabled to the Associated Press, August 10, while couched in the most friendly terms, it does not recede from the Russian position as set forth in the prize regulations to exercise the right to destroy in cases of emergency neutral vessels carrying contraband. At the same time, Russia assured Great Britain that there would be no more neutral ships sunk unless circumstances render it impossible to bring the vessel before the prize court.

WAS IN CHINESE HANDS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—A Daily News special from Chefoo says:

"There is no doubt that the Russian destroyer was completely in the hands of the Chinese authorities. Mr. Haggerty of the Associated Press, with an interpreter, was on board the Ryeshitelni and witnessed the negotiations. He has a document recording the conversation of the Chinese officer with the Russin commander conducted through his interpreter."

RUSSIANS AT SHANGHAI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Consul-General Goodnow cables to the State department from Shanghai that a Russian torpedo-boat destroyer had just arrived there, and that four Russian cruisers were expected tomorrow. It is understood that if these vessels intend to remain more than twenty-four hours at Shanghai they must dismantle and remain there until the end of the war. Probably the treaty of peace which will finally conclude the war between Russia and Japan will contain a paragraph making disposition of the Russian vessels.

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 13, 4 a.m.—It is stated here that both France and Germany are supporting at Peking the protest of the Russian government against the action of the Japanese torpedo-boat destroyers in attacking the Russian torpedo-boat destroyer Ryeshitelni in the harbor of Chefoo.

PORTO RICO SHOOL TEACHERS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The President today tendered a reception and delivered a speech to about 500 school teachers of Porto Rico, who have been in this country for several weeks attending various Normal schools. The reception took place in the East Room of the White House.

The President, addressing the teachers, said: "It is my earnest wish, as it was the wish of my lamented predecessor and as it is the wish of the people of the United States, that only unmixed good shall come to the people of Porto Rico because of their connection with this country."

PROPOSED NEW BOULEVARD.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 12.—A large gathering of land owners met in convention in this city today to discuss plans for the construction of a boulevard levee forty feet wide from the city down the river to Freeport, a distance of eleven miles.

The present levee will be utilized, the base being widened and the crest raised. It is estimated that the cost of the undertaking will approximate $65,000, of which amount the land owners to be benefited will contribute $40,000, the remainder to be raised by appropriations by the City Trustees and the County Supervisors, and on subscriptions by the citizens of Sacramento.

W. E. Lovdale presided over the convention, Supervisor Morris Brooke, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, acting as secretary.

SENT "BLACK HAND" LETTERS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Giuseppe Massaro, 32 years old, and his brother, Philippo, aged 23, both tailors, with a shop in East Third street, have been locked up at police headquarters on a charge of extortion. They are accused by Ruggiero Nicosia, a barber, of sending him two letters signed "Black Hand," demanding $4000 or the lives of himself and three children. Nicosia turned the letters over to the police, and a trap was laid.

CABLE NEAR COMPLETION.

SEATTLE, Aug. 12.—The cable which the U.S.S. Burnside has been laying from Sitka, Alaska, south, is completed to within 150 miles of Cape Flattery. The Burnside returned to this port today for 300 miles of cable, enough to complete the line. The vessel sails north again in about a week.

Campaign in the West.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Representative James Tawney of Minnesota, manager of the Speakers' Bureau at Republican headquarters at Chicago, today discussed with the President some phases of the general work, particularly as to the West. Mr. Tawney says it will probably be a month yet before the speaking campaign opens in the West. An earnest and aggressive campaign is to be conducted in every Western State.

A Plucky Huntress.

A South Dakota girl, Miss Lucille Wilson, who is at present "roughing it" on her brother's cattle ranch near Hampshire, Wyo., according to letters received by relatives living south of Sioux Falls, has distinguished herself by running down and capturing two antelopes—a feat which even the most experienced and reckless cowpunchers can rarely perform.

The baby antelopes, notwithstanding their smallness, were remarkably fleet of foot, but the horse Miss Wilson was riding was one of the swiftest in that part of Wyoming, and after an exciting pursuit of nearly four miles one of the fawns was overtaken. Miss Wilson jumped from her horse, grabbed the little fellow and tied its feet with one of the rawhide thongs from the saddle, then hastily remounted and continued her pursuit of the other one, which she also succeeded in capturing.—[Detroit Free Press.

She Couldn't Read it.

Some time during the years before Gen. Tracy was appointed Secretary of the Navy and went to Washington to live, the Tracys had in their Brooklyn home an Irish servant girl who was something of a character. Tall, rawboned and muscular, cross-eyed and freckled, she was not much to look at, but her dignity was not to be trifled with. Unable to read or write, her ingenuity in evading the admission was a source of much amusement to her employers. One day when the members of the family were all away in the country she received a telegram from the General, and, taking it around to the grocery store, she said to the proprietor, whom she knew well:

"Tom, there's just one word in this telegram I can't make out. The General does write such a queer hand."—[New York Times.

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POLITICAL HARMONY UP IN SACRAMENTO

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Republican County Convention which will meet here tomorrow promises to be a harmonious body. There will be no contests except on Supervisors from county districts. The forecast for legislative nominations is as follows: State Senator, Dr. James A. McKee, practicing physician of this city, formerly of Elk Grove. He is said to be very strong in country districts of the county.

The nominees for Assembly, according to the understanding tonight, will be: C. O. Busick, a young attorney in the Seventeenth District; Frank J. O'Brien, another young lawyer, in the Eighteenth District, and probably John M. Milliken of Highland Park in the Eighteenth District, which includes all of the county outside of the city of Sacramento. Edward Lynch of Walsh Station is contesting for this nomination, and thinks he has a chance, but the slate at present reads for Milliken.

RUSH FOR SENATOR.

DEVLIN QUITS THE RACE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NAPA, Aug. 12.—Ben F. Rush of Suisun was nominated for joint Senator from the Fifth District tonight after a prolonged contest. His competitors were Robert Carlett of Napa and F. R. Devlin of Vallejo. Two hundred and ninety ballots were taken during the afternoon, the vote standing throughout: Carlett, 10; Rush, 3; Devlin, 4. A recess was taken till night, when Devlin withdrew from the contest, the final vote stood: Rush, 12; Carlett, 10.

Notifiers for Populists.

ALBANY (N. Y.) Aug. 13.—Thomas E. Forrest, chairman of the Populist Notification Committee, announced the names of those who will make notification speeches at the meeting in Cooper Union, New York. Ex-Governor Thomas E. Watson, the party's candidate for President, will be notified formed of his nomination by Samuel W. Williams of Virginia. The Vice-Presidential Candidate Thomas Tibbles will be notified by ex-United States Senator William F. Vilas of Madison, Neb. The Populists have established national headquarters at the Union Square Hotel, New York.

No Campaign Speeches.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Cortelyou said today that the President would not make any speeches this year. Beyond the speech for notification Committee and the formal acceptance, which is yet to be published, the President will not take any public part in the campaign. This is in line with the course pursued by President McKinley in 1900. Roosevelt has placed the personal campaign in the hands of Mr. Cortelyou.

METEORIC SHOWER.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The Observatory reports the occurrence of a meteoric shower, brilliant in all respects, this evening. In one minutes fifteen meteors were seen, each of which lasted five seconds.

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PROMINENT PEOPLE.

Franklin Farrel, son of a well-known millionaire of Ansonia, Ct., of the same name, after spending two weeks in Europe, has accepted a place at $6 a week in his father's tool factory.

Anthony J. Drexel Biddle, the Philadelphia millionaire, is by far the most democratic of all the rich people at Atlantic City this year. Nearly everyone calls him "Tony" Biddle and he seems to like it.

Lord Edward Churchill is an interesting man with a quite unusual variety of occupations and attainments. He is an expert at mechanics and electric science. He has built a church organ and made a brass model of an 81-ton gun.

Miss Lavinia Egan, the retiring secretary of the board of lady managers of the World's Fair, has ideas of her own. She wears only tailor-made dresses, for instance, and thinking long tresses a burden in the summer-time, she cuts her hair short every spring.

John A. Kasson of Iowa, now 82 years of age, attracts attention in Boston and vicinity, where he is spending the summer. One who has seen him recently declares him to be, merely to pass at, "something to admire as one would enjoy a fine piece of Sevres porcelain."

Rev. Moses C. Henderson, who has just died at St. Johnsbury, Vt., at the age of 85, established a record in the matter of funeral attendance. During his sixty-two years in the ministry he officiated at 1630 funerals, and during his long service he performed nearly nine thousand marriages.

The sculptor Gallori has been commissioned to complete the Garibaldi statue in Rome. At a recent meeting of Parliament the hope was expressed that the work might be completed at the latest in 1911, the semi-centenary of the proclamation of Italy as a kingdom. It was begun in 1884.

The late Wilhelm Jordan, poet, playwright, reciter, novelist, historian and theologian, was one of the most pugnacious of German writers. During the last decades of his long life he set himself up at Frankfort as a sort of universal critic of everything going on in the world; and he was so convinced of his representing the truth on all occasions that he chose for his motto: "Whoever is not with me is against himself." He was his own publisher.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

FRIDAY, Aug. 12, 1904.

Alamitos Land Company to Long Beach and Alamitos Improvement Company, block 18, Alamitos Heights tract, $10.

G J Rowley and Lila T Rowley to Loren T Rowley, part lot 36, Monte Vista tract, $10.

G W McClure and Anna E McClure to W J Tweed, lot 4, block 2, Washington-street tract, $1000.

Pickering Land and Water Company to C A Smith, lot 21, block 32, Whittier, $100.

Mary Strauss to James S Riggins, lot 17, Feldhauser's subdivision of block 1 of Ord's Survey, $10.

James R Riggins and Sallie V Riggins to Cantanien Undertaking Company, lot 18, Feldhauser's subdivision block 36, Ord's Survey, $10.

Conservative Realty Company to C P Pollock, lots 25 and 26, block O, Burkhard Home tract, $10.

Celia Walker, also known as Cillie Walker and Samuel Walker to W B Thomas, part lot 1, block 59, Hancock's Survey, $10.

Albert M Stephens, Mrs M W Stephens and Mary W Stephens to Ida J Bacon, lot 37, Stephens tract, $10.

William J Pierce and Alice C Pierce to Walter Morrow and Veda Sheppard Morrow, lot 1, J Pierce tract, $10.

Los Angeles Water Company and Broadway Bank and Trust Company, trustee, to Mary O Lamont, lots 30, block 5, Seaside Park, $10.

Bank and Trust Company to Thomas J Turney, lot 7, Sunset, lots 1, block 11, Bay View tract, $10.

Annie A Tabbetts and Charles H Tabbetts to Frances L Cochrane, part block D, Toberman's replat, $175.

Edward F Redman and Eva F Redman to Louis E Roessler, lot 2, Livanus White tract, $10.

Hattie Fischer and George Fischer to William C Baker, lot 35, H J Holmes subdivision, $10.

J G Southwick and Estate Southwick to H Hudson and P C Hudson, lot 8, Beach's subdivision of Tober tract, $100.

Thomas Williams and D S Williams to Nellie Jordan, lot 16, block D, Park Place, $10.

Huntington Land and Improvement Company to Nellie Jordan, lot 18, block D, Park Place, $10.

Los Angeles Realty Syndicate to M W Attwood and George E Delavan, Sr., lot 13, block 7, Dayton Heights tract, $10.

John Hayes to Mary Hayes, Agreement to convey lots 40, 41 and 42 to Tr. La Mara addition to the rancho cerrito, $250.

Hattie P Sherwood and W L Sherwood to Harriet L Barnwell and Mary D Barnwell as tenants, part lots 19, 20 and 36, block 3, Mrs Fitzgerald tract, $10.

Los Angeles Investment and Trust Company to John Wells, part lot 5, all lot 3, and part lot 4, Schofield tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Truman W Roberts and Cornelia E Roberts, commencing northeast corner part conveyed to Mrs P Fitzgerald by deed 19-125, Records of Los Angeles county, north 33 deg 30 minth, west 11.11 chains, etc, $10.

R H P Varlet and Mrs R H P Varlet to Los Angeles Soap Company, part lot 22, block 4, Sanchez tract, $10.

Cotton A Smith to R E Watts, lot 42, block 2, Main-Street Boulevard tract, $100.

Thomas Bard, administrator of estate of Mollie M Bard, deceased, to Ferdinand Haine, lots 11 and 12, block 1, Washington-street tract, $200.

Mary Koch, administratrix of estate of Clara Henry Koch, deceased, and Mary Koch, individually, to Joseph Foster, part section 16, T 1 N 14 W, $1000.

W A Polkinghorn and Ida M Polkinghorn to Selina Savoy, lot 36, Strong & Dickinson's Woodlawn tract, $10.

Pacific Land Company to Katherine Wilday, lot 9, block 6, Gillis subdivision, $100.

H G Jack and Bertha Jack to Carrie O Dennison, lot 27, Griffes tract, $10.

Narcissa M Gardner to Alexander W Loyall, Mrs Glenn Gardner tract, $10.

William H Edwards to George A Boyer, lot 4, block 7, Broadacres, $75.

Frank Woodbury, guardian of estate of Patrick J Woodbury, to Anna Preslick, lot 6, Alta Vista tract, $200.

Lizzie Raymond to Thomas A Lincoln, lot 1, W Abbott's subdivision, $10.

Cecil B Willits and Lillie Willits to Arthur C Hellier and Rose Hellier to J Tracey Mellus, lot 13, Rose tract No 3, $10.

Williams A Lower and Eva I Lower to Nicholas Meisen, part lots 1 and 2, block 41, Long Beach, $1000.

Raymond to Loyal T Lincoln, lot 2, W Abbott's subdivision, $10.

A G Graham, J O Cass and Caroline E Cass to Martha E Strand, lot 32, C W Davis subdivision, $10.

Agreement to Mary Menzies, lot 34, block 2, Gelder & Hamilton's Vernon Park, $10.

Mary E Marsh, Emery H F McDonald, to Thomas Downs, part section 16, T 1 N 11 W, $10.

William Bowen and Sarah J Bowen to Mary M Meinhardt, lot 46, South Side tract, $10.

Annie Isabelle Salsbury and George M Salsbury to Ida B Stevens and Eugenia D Porter, lot 29, block 4, Brearley & Shanabaugh tract, $10.

George W Dickinson and Myra Dickinson to J J Kinsinger, lot 74, Strong & Dickinson's Alamitos tract, $10.

Alamitos Land Company to William Brydone, lot 3, block 134, Alamitos Beach townsite, $10.

Sidney R Lyon to Frances H Lyon, part lot 4, block 2, Ocean View tract, gift.

Mary Elizabeth Hollenbeck to Mrs Helen A Wells, lot 28, block 3, Workman's subdivision of W H Hall and Ella K Hall to I J Garcia, lots 16 and 17, block 51, Lockeberg tract, $10.

Miles Garcia and Cristina Garcia to Robert Lockeberg, part lot 16 and all lot 17, block 51, Lockeberg tract, $10.

Ann Crabb and Maggie D Crabb to Frank Parrell, lot 7, block 4, Crabb's subdivision, $100.

Rose Mathews, deceased, Gertie Mathews, James E Mathews and John Mathews, each lot 3, block X, Alto tract, to convey lot 12, block 9, Angeleno Heights tract, $10.

Lulu F Capito and Lulu F Capito to D D Darlington, part lot 12, block 9, Angeleno Heights tract, $10.

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Anthony J. Drexel Biddle, the Philadelphia millionaire, is by far the most democratic of all the rich people at Atlantic City this year. Nearly everyone calls him "Tony" Biddle and he seems to like it.

Lord Edward Churchill is an interesting man with a quite unusual variety of occupations and attainments. He is an expert at mechanics and electric science. He has built a church organ and made a brass model of an 1-ton gun.

Miss Lavinia Egan, the retiring secretary of the board of lady managers of the World's Fair, has ideas of her own. She wears only tailor-made dresses, for instance, and thinking some dresses a burden in the summertime, she cuts her hair shot every spring.

John A. Kasson of Iowa, now 82 years of age, attracts attention in Boston and vicinity, where he is spending the summer. One who has seen him recently declares him to be, merely to pass at, "something to admire as one would enjoy a fine piece of Sevres porcelain."

Rev. Moses C. Henderson, who has just died at St. Johnsbury, Vt., at the age of 85, established a record in the matter of funeral attendance. During his sixty-two years in the ministry he officiated at 1030 funerals, and during his long service he performed nearly one thousand marriages.

The sculptor Gallori has been commissioned to complete the Garibaldi statue in Rome. At a recent meeting of Parliament the hope was expressed that the work might be completed at the latest in 1911, the semi-centenary of the proclamation of Italy as a kingdom. It was begun in 1884.

The late Wilhelm Jordan, poet, playwright, reciter, novelist, historian and theologian, was one of the most pugnacious of German writers. During the last decades of his long life he set himself up at Frankfort as a sort of universal critic of everything going on in the world; and he was so convinced of his representing the truth on all occasions that he chose for his motto: "Whoever is not with me is against himself." He was his own publisher.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

FRIDAY, Aug. 12, 1904.

Alaska Land Company to Long Beach and Improvement Company, block 18, Alamitos Heights tract, $10.

J Stanley and Lila T Rowley to Loron T Shaw, part lot 35, Monte Vista tract, $10.

Lewis M Mayne and Anna E McClure to W Tunnell, lot 4, block 2, Washington-street tract, $500.

Pasadena Land and Water Company to C J Sprig, lot 38, block 21, Whittier, $200.

Mary Strauss to James R Riggins, lot 17, Feldhauser's subdivision of block 86, Ord's survey, $10.

James R Riggins and Sallie V Riggins to Occasion Undertaking Company, lot 17, Feldhauser's subdivision block 86, Ord's Survey, $10.

Conservative Realty Company to C P Fedick, lots 3 and 26, block O, Burkhard Home tract, $5.

Ella Waktor, also known as Cillie Waktor and Samuel Waktor to W B Thompson, part lot 1, block 59, Hancock's Survey, $10.

Albert M Stephens, Mrs M W Stephens and Geo W Stephens to Ida J Bacon, lot 57, block 4, Orange tract, $10.

William J Pierce and Alice C Pierce to Walter Morrow and Veda Sheppard Morrow, lot 1, W J Pierce tract, $10.

Pasadena Water Company and Broadway Bank and Trust Company, trustee, to May C Larson, lot 30, block 9, Seaside Park, $10.

Quitclaim joins to release as usual.

Mary J Turner and Thomas J Turner to Ida E Sheppard, lot 1, block 11, Bay View tract, $10.

Frank A Tebbetts and Charles E Tebbetts to Frances L Cochrane, part block D, Tebbetts rancho, $275.

Edward F Redman and Eva F Redman to Frank E Roessler, lot 2, Livanus White tract, $10.

Charles Fischer and George Fischer to Wilhelmina C Baker, lot 25, H J Holmes subdivision, $10.

Frederick and Esther Southwick to R Hudson and P C Hudson, lot 6, Beach's subdivision of Tober tract, $1450.

Thomas C Williams and D S Williams to Hollis Jordan, lot 30, block D, Park Place, $10.

Huntington Land and Improvement Company to Hollis Jordan, lot 16, block D, Park Place, $10.

Los Angeles Realty Syndicate to M W Attwood and George E Delavan, Sr, lot 13, block 7, Dayton Heights tract, $10.

John Hayes to J H Shirk, agreement to convey lot 40, 41 and 42 to 72, La Mars addition to Long Beach, $250.

Frank E Sherwood and W L Sherwood to Harriet L Barnwell and Sue D Barnwell as tenants, part lots 13, 19 and 20, block 2, Rio Vista tract, $10.

Los Angeles Investment and Trust Company to John Wills, part lot 2, all lot 3, and part lot 4, Schofield tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Trustees of Roberts and Cornelia E Roberts, commencing northeast corner tract conveyed to P P Fitzgerald by deed 16-125, south 21 deg 30 min, north 58 deg 30 minth, west 11.11 chains, etc.

R H F Variel and Mrs R H F Variel to Los Angeles Soap Company, part lot 22, block 1, Goodwin tract, $10.

J Gerow Smith to R E Watts, lot 42, block 1, Main-street Boulevard tract, $10.

Thomas Bond, administrator of estate of Mary Bond, deceased, to Ferdinand Holm, lot 12, block 1, Washington-street tract, $10.

Mary Koch, administratrix of estate of Henry Koch, deceased, and Mary Koch, to Joseph Fuster, part section 16, T 1 S, R 14 W, $275.

F A Polkinghorn and Ida M Polkinghorn to Milton Savoy, lot 94, Strong & Dickinson's resubdivision of Woodlawn tract, $10.

Pacific Land Company to Katherine Wildey, lot 4, Gillis subdivision, $100.

Jack and Bertha Jack to Carrie O Griffes tract, $10.

Thomas M Gardner to Alexander W Lyall, lot 1, Gardner tract, $10.

Frank H Edwards to George A Boyer, lot 4, block 2, Broadacres, $75.

Mary Woodbury, guardian of estate of Francis J Woodbury, to Anna Froelick, lot 1, Rio Vista tract, $200.

Mary Raymond to Emma A Lincoln, lot 1, F Abbott's subdivision, $10.

Frank E Willits and Lillie Willits to Archer Brain, F O Cass and Caroline E Cass, lots 33 and 42, San Dimas, $10.

Bertha E Strand and Rosa Heller to J Tracey Mellus, Rose tract No 3, $20.

Frank A Lower and Eva I Lower to Niels Nielsen, part lots 1 and 2, block 41, Long Beach, $100.

Mary Raymond to Loyal T Lincoln, lot 2, F Abbott's subdivision, $10.

Archer Brain, F O Cass and Caroline E Cass to Bertha E Strand, lot 10, C W Davis subdivision, $10.

Mary E Sellars to Mary Menzies, lot 14, block 7, Gray & Hamilton's Vernon Park, $10.

Mary W Dawson, formerly H F McDonald, to Mary W Dawson, part section 12, 5 N 11, $5.

Frank H Baker and Sarah C Baker to Fred H Meinhardt, lot 44, South Side tract, $10.

Mary Isabelle Salsbury and George M Salsbury to J R Stevens and Eugenia D Porter, lot 4, Brearley & Sinsabaugh tract, $10.

Myra W Dickinson and Myra Dickinson to Frank Bellinger, lot 74, Strong & Dickinson's resubdivision tract, $10.

Pacific Land Company to William Brynes, lot 3, block 134, Alamitos Beach townsite, $10.

Thomas F Lyon to Frances H Lyon, part lot 4, Ocean View tract, gift.

Elizabeth Hallenbeck to Mrs Helen A Hall, lot 16, block F, Workman's subdivision of Matthews & Picket tract, $10.

Frank Hall and Ella R Hall to I J Garcia, lot 17, block 51, Lordsburg, $210.

Ignacio Garcia and Cristina Garcia to Robert Crabb, part lot 16 and all lot 17, block 51, Lordsburg, $10.

Robert Crabb and Maggie D Crabb to Frank Crabb, lot 4, Crabb's subdivision, $10.

Estate of Rose Mathews, deceased, decree distributing to Jacob E Mathews and John Mathews, lot 3, block X, Alleo tract, $10.

Jacob E Baker to C E Capito, agreement to convey lot 12, block 9, Angeleno Heights tract, $10.

Thomas M Gardner and Lulu P Capito to D D Dayton, lot 11, block 3, Angeleno Heights tract, $10.

Clara A Bond and Glendale Land and Water Company to George B Woodbury and C Woodbury, lots 9 and 11, block 21, Rosedale, $75.

Charles Burke, Claudine Weaver Burke, James King Burke and Willetta Burke to Lizzie Burke, lots 127, 128 and 138, Burke Bros subdivision, $10.

Pacific Land Company vs Samuel Studemaker, suit to quiet title to plaintiff, lots 4, 7, 9 and 11, Rio Fernando.

Pacific Land Company to Katherine Wildey, lot 4, Gillis subdivision, $100.

Jack and Bertha Jack to Carrie O Griffes tract, $10.

Oscar W Brooks to Lida Brooks, undivided one-half interest in lot 27, Mattison's High Level Tableland tract, $10.

Elizabeth A Packard to Charles H Grimwood, lot 23, Baxter Todd's subdivision of block 11, Beaudry tract No 2, $30.

Cecilia M Hanna to Kate Keating, lots 21 and 22, block 1, Jefferson-street tract, $1700.

Augustus S Bixby and Mary L Bixby to Mrs A J Waldo, lot 3, block A, Kennebec tract, $10.

Augustus B Bixby and Mary L Bixby to Alice J Waldo, part lot 4, block A, Kennebec tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Robert M Selander, lot 17, block 2, La Saloma tract, $10.

John Karnahan and Artelissa Karnahan to Joan Lewis Purtell and Jennie L Purtell, lot 7, Mrs Ira O Smith's subdivision, $612.

Oliver P McMullen and Flora A McMullen to Lurena Bloomfield, lot 17, block 20, Arlington Heights tract, $10.

C L Bundy, Charles W Allen, John A Stanwood, individually and as trustee, to W A Polkinghorn, lot 9, block R, Ocean Park Villa tract, $10.

State by W O Welch, County Tax Collector, to Charles Delbovier, lot 5, block 18, Clearwater.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to P W Sellars, reconveyance of trust property.

H Boettcher and Alwine Boettcher to Maria Jeffrey, lot 74, Boettcher tract, $650.

Redondo Improvement Company to Mrs Mary A Dutra, lot 228, Ocean Beach subdivision of Redondo Beach, $10.

G W E Griffith and P A Griffith to Irving C Harris, lot 19, block A, Raymond Villa tract No 1, $750.

David Lewis Burke, Claudine Weaver Burke, James King Burke and Willetta Burke to Mrs John W Ozmont, lots 127 and 128, Burke Bros addition No 1 to Figueroa-street subdivision, $10.

H J Whitley and Margaret Virginia Whitley to Carter R Bishop, lot 3, H J Whitley's Park Place, and right of way over lot A, H J Whitley Place, $10.

John P Jones and Georgina S Jones to Melissa L Marvel, lot F, block 135, Santa Monica, $10.

R Henry C Green and Mary A Green to J M and E V Marks, lot 2, block 44, Central Arlington Heights tract, $10.

Gilbert J Scriven to Avert M Scriven, part lot 2, E N McDonald's subdivision, $500.

Gilbert J Scriven to Avert M Scriven, part lot 2, E N McDonald's subdivision, $1.

Estate of George Jacob Kiefer, also called G J Kiefer, deceased, decree distributing to T H Dudley, undivided one-half interest in lots K and L, block 170, Santa Monica.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Emily C Holt, lot 84, Walnut Place, $10.

Union Trust and Realty Company to Mina Beverardorf, lot 20, Strong & Dickinson's Compton-avenue tract, $10.

P B Chase and Calista T Chase to Alfred T Williams and Anna R Williams, part lots 1 and 2, block 5, Hollywood Ocean View tract, $10.

First National Bank of Pasadena and Pasadena Tournament of Roses Association to City of Pasadena, in Rancho San Pasqual at southeast corner of California street and Wilson avenue, residence, use, etc, valuable consideration.

Theodore H Klages and Laura A Klages to Stanley G Allen, lot 11, block 4, Old Homestead tract, $1050.

J R Vogel vs City of Los Angeles, decree quieting title in plaintiff lots 12, 14 and 15, Bailey & Harbert tract.

Santa Monica Commercial Company to Julia B Risk, lot 16, block B, Vawter's Ocean Park tract, $1450.

Charles M Stimson to E M Wickersham, part lot 7, block 34, Garvanza addition No 1, $275.

Rose M Bellan and Frank L Bellan to Oscar H Patzer, lot 14, block 29, Burbank, $300.

Huntington Land and Improvement Company of Los Angeles, part lots 12 and 16, San Marino tract, $1.

Alice H Blood, Charles T Merritt and Fannie E Merritt to county of Los Angeles, part lot 13, San Marino tract, $2.

George R Fraser and Jennie L Fraser to Henry G Wilson, lot 14, Wells & Nichols subdivision, $30.

Mary E Stilson to Charles W Davis, lot 11, block 22, Angeleno Heights tract, $10.

Los Angeles-Pacific Boulevard and Development Company to F M Douglass, part of 5, block 1, Hollywood Ocean View tract, $10.

Minnie G Woodward and Nelson E Woodward to F M Douglass, lot 2, block 5, Hollywood Ocean View tract, $10.

Frank H Hereford to United States of America, part section 30, 5 N 12.

Total, $27,171.

MORTGAGES.

W Y Teetzel to C W McClure, lot 4, block 2, Washington street tract, 12 months, 10 per cent, $1000.

Edward A D Christopher and Clara V Christopher to Grace Bartholomew, part lots 20 and 21, block 1, West Los Angeles, 3 years, 10 per cent, $2250.

Sophie Kirkpatrick to German American Savings Bank, lot 1, block 9, Urmston tract, 1 year, 10 per cent, $214.

J Castanien Undertaking Company to Home Savings Bank of Los Angeles, lot 37, Feldhauser's subdivision of block 86, O. S., 3 months, 9 per cent, $2650.

Alexander J McKenzie and Nora McKenzie to Mutual Building and Loan Association, lot 33, Firey, French and Rhorer's subdivision, 3 years, 6 per cent, $1200.

Marie du Creo le Messnager and George le Messnager to Arthur J Everest and Ernest G Taylor, executors of estate of A Stanley Dolan, deceased, part Ro San Rafael, part of the 2629.61 acres of Ro San Rafael allotted to Teodora and Maria Catalina Verduzco, part section 9, township 1, N R 14 W, 7-13-05, 9 per cent, $2000.

Lizzie R. Collis, fly Lizzie R. Hall, and George W Hall to Union Savings Bank, lot 12, S A Tuttle subdivision, 2 year, 10 per cent, $1100.

Walter Morrow and Veda Sheppard to Calvin S Nyce, part lots 1 and 2, W J Pierce tract, 3 years, 8½ per cent, $2500.

Same to same, lot 12, W J Pierce tract, 3 years, 8½ per cent, $6250.

Morris Hurwitz and Sofie Hurwitz to Amelia E Bartholomew, lot 35, block 3, Adams street Homestead tract, 3 years, 10 per cent, $1200.

Susan E Neal to Equitable Savings Bank, lots 5, 6 and 7, and part lots 8, 16, 18 and 19, block 1, east part of Jeffries tract; also lot 14, subdivision of lot 27, Rinter Highland View tract, 3 years, 11 per cent, $600.

Ella Wilson and Eugene W Wilson to Dollar Savings Bank and Trust Company, part lot 2, lot 37, block 2, Greenwell tract, 3 years, 10 per cent, $4000.

Mary A Berryman to Alexander McDonald, lot 16, block 1, Country Club tract, 1 year, 10 per cent, $500.

William D Clark and Sarah E Clark, Charles L Nichols and Marion A Nichols to Isabelle Ingram, lot 3, block 14, Charles Victor Hall tract, 3 years, 10 per cent, $2700.

William Moody and Celia Moody to Security Savings Bank, part lot 29, block K, Jones tract, 3 years, 10 per cent, $1000.

Julia F Warren to Elisabeth Swain, lot 200, Ellendale tract, 3 years, 12 per cent, $300.

Samuel Norton to Edward Chaix, part lot 4, Grover Orchard tract, 3 years, 9 per cent, $2000.

Alvin H Millsap and Suda Millsap to George E Lewis, lot 1, block 3, Mills subdivision of Sabichi tract, 3 years, 10 per cent, $1000.

Joseph Fuster and John Fuster to Mary Koch, part section 16, township 1, mi v— r Koch, part section 16, 1, N 14, 1 year, 8 per cent, $1200.

Selma Savoy and Leon J Savo to W A Polkinghorn, lot 96, Strong and Dickinson's resubdivision of Woodlawn tract, 2 years, 10 per cent, $500.

Alexander W Lyall and Martha Lyall to Cooperative Savings Bank, lot 3, Glen Gardner tract, 3 years, 10 per cent, $1100.

Frederick G Leonard to Miranda C Rogers, lot 2, block U, Garvanza Addition No 1; lot 15, block 8, Brooklyn Heights Ganahl tract, 3 years, 9 per cent, $2500.

Lucian Weston to German-American Savings Bank, lot 23, block 6, Electric Railway Homestead Association, 3 years, 10 per cent, $750.

William Bryden to Pierre Hervochon, lot 3, block 134, Alamitos Beach, Long Beach, 6 months, 15 per cent, $200.

Richard F Blaisdell to B C Lattin, lot 14 and part lots 12 and 13, block D, Rivara & Vignolo tract, 1 year, 9 per cent, $8500.

George Wagner and Katherina Wagner to Sarah E Dalton, lot 107, Dalton Orange Grove tract, 4-5-10, 10 per cent, $1300.

Lena Reif and A Reif to L J Beynon, lot 3, Culver's Hollywood Park tract, 2 years, 11 per cent, $2000.

Maude Weaver Erickson to Los Angeles Cemetery Association, lot 171 and part lots 172 and 170, Kohler tract, 5 years, 9½ per cent, $1950.

Arthur P Pollitte and M P Pollitte to Robert McGarvin and M A Bronson, lots 8 and 9, block 9, Elysian Park tract, installments, 3 years, 7 per cent, $3570.

Kate Keating and John Keating to Cecilia M Hanna, lots 21 and 22, block 1, Jefferson Street tract, 3 years, 10 per cent, $1200.

George Sheehy and Catherine Sheehy to Louis Wagner, lot 42, block R, Menlo Park, 1 year, 9 per cent, $2000.

Wilmot Osborn Vidito to William H Griffin, lot 20, J G McDonald tract, 1 year, 12 per cent, $750.

Fred Herschede and Hattie Herschede to Mary P Haines, part sec 34, T 1 N, R 8 W, 5 years, 10 per cent, $500.

Bella Babcock, trustee for Fay Clark Babcock, to California Citrus Union, lot 16, in sec. 20, subdivision No 1 of property of Porter Land and Water Company, in Rancho ex-Mission of San Fernando, and crops, 1 day, 8-2-04, $500; to be recorded in mortgages and chattel mortgages.

C L Coe and Etta Coe to Albert Crutcher, lot 71, Davenport's San Pedro Street tract, 1 year and 2 years, 9 per cent, 2 notes at $120 each, $240.

Stanley G Allen and Carrie W Allen to Theodore H Klages, lot 11, block 4, Old Homestead tract, 2 years, 10 per cent, $1650.

Mrs. Kate Zadachy and G A Zadach to Kalorama Land Company, lot 7, Edward D Silent & Co's subdivision of part of Kalorama tract, 4 years, 5 years, 10 per cent, $850.

Irving R Smith and Stella M Smith to Byron Erkenbrecher, lot 4, block 151, Los Angeles Olive Growers' Association, 3 years, 6 per cent, $450.

Total, $60,464.

Saturday Snaps

The two Silverwood stores were never more attractive than you'll find them today.

Among the many things that'll make today a busy day we'd like to mention:—

Men's bathing suits in all the wanted styles at $2 to $5.

Eight short lines of men's underwear that have been selling at $3 and $3.50 the suit, priced $2.50 (include lisle and mercerized effect-).

Very nobby golf shirts in oxford and cheviot with attached cuffs at $1.50 and $2.00.

Smart scarfs suitable to wear without a waistcoat, coming in attractive effects at 25c.

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Half a teaspoonful in half a glass of water after meals brings perfect digestion.

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Diarrhoea, cholera morbus, stomach aches, congestion, sunstroke, heart failure, fainting, weak stomach, malaria, chills, fevers, prostration and the hundred and one ills of summer can be cured and prevented by taking

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SALE OF
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Stock Men's $3.00 Hats $1.50
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Annual Blue Pencil Price

SALE OF SHOES

Forcing Out Summer Goods to Make Room for Fall Stock

$30,000.00 Worth of Seasonable Footwear at One-third to One-half Reduction

Early shipments of fall shoes are commencing to arrive and all summer footwear must be forced out to make room. We are facing a crisis and must act immediately. At such a time as this the BLUE PENCIL is our strongest ally. Reduced prices will always force business and most of our reductions are made with a blue pencil. You all know that a shoe sale at "The Broadway" always means something out of the ordinary. When our shoe department advertises cut prices it means DEEP GASHES in the selling prices that go way down dangerously close to the cost mark.

This Sale Embraces $30,000.00 Worth of Seasonable Footwear for Men, Women and Children

Recent styles, plenty of sizes and all goods of standard make. Some prices show a reduction of one-third others of one-half. The lots showing the deepest cuts will prove the liveliest sellers, so an early response is advisable if you are interested. The sale will continue several days, but the assortments will be at their best today.

Misses' $1.50 Shoes of Dongola Kid.... 89c

Misses' shoes made from plump dongola kid; either single or half double soles; round toes, kid or patent leather tips; sizes 11 to 2; regular $1.50 values; sale price, per pair, 89c.

Women's Dress Oxfords Splendid $3.00 Values.... $1.45

Women's dress oxfords of bright patent kid with either dull or bright kid tops, hand turned soles, French or military heels; forty different styles to choose from; all sizes; excellent $3.00 values, sale price, $1.45.

Men's $3.00 Shoes Vici Kid and Box Calf $1.95

Men's vici kid shoes with hand welted half double soles; stylish, shapely lasts; others of good grade box calf; serviceable, up-to-date shoes for semi-dress and business wear; all sizes; actual $3.00 values; sale price, per pair, $1.95.

MEN'S SHOES—Of best grade vici kid, half double hand welted soles, medium round capped toes, stylish swing last, neat, dressy shoes in a good range of sizes; regular $3.50 values; sale price, pair.... $2.45

CANVAS SHOES—For men; medium weight solid leather soles; stylish, comfortable lasts; excellent shoes for summer wear; a complete assortment of sizes; shoes that always sell at $1.50; sale price, pair.... $1.00

BOYS' SHOES—Of bright patent colt skin; hand welted, oak tanned soles; modified coin toes with caps; sizes 13 to 5½ for boys and youths; high grade shoes worth regularly $3. Sale price, per pair.... $1.50

YOUTHS' SHOES—Of vici kid extension soles and round capped toes; modified foot form lasts; sizes 13 to 2; neat, durable shoes, usually priced at $1.50. Sale price, per pair.... 69c

MEN'S SHOES—Of tan colored Russia calf, stylish swing lasts with drop toes, hand welted soles, Blucher or regular cuts; stylish, durable shoes; regularly sold at $3; sale price, per pair.... $2.45

DRESS SHOES—For men, of best bright patent colt skin; patent calf or enameled vici kid, hand welted soles, either single or double weight all sizes, regular $3.00 values; sale price per pair.... $2.00

CHILD'S SANDALS—Of either vici kid or patent leather; one or three-strap styles; bow or jet ornament over instep; stylish and comfortable for summer wear; sizes 6 to 10½; $1.25 values. Sale price, per pair.... 59c

MEN'S SHOES—Of genuine kangaroo calf, the regulation U. S. army shoe; Goodyear welted soles; doubly secured with standard screws; all sizes; regular $2.50 values; sale price, per pair.... $1.25

WHITE SHOES—For men, made of good strong canvas; either high or low cut; stylish for yachting, beach or outing wear; priced regularly at $2.00; sale price, per pair.... $1.00

CANVAS SHOES—For misses, children and little gents; oxford cut, medium extension soles; just the thing for beach or outing use, also popular for street wear; all sizes; $1.50 values. Sale price per pair.... 50c

CHILD'S SHOES—Of plump dongola kid; light or medium weight soles; coin toes with patent leather tips, sizes 6 to 11; actual $1.25 values. Sale price, per pair.... 79c

Women's $3.50 Oxfords Of Tan Suede.... $1.95

Women's tan colored suede oxfords, Blucher style; hand turned soles, plain toes, French heels; very stylish and seasonable; good assortment of sizes; regular $3.50 values; sale price, per pr., $1.95.

Women's $2.50 Sandals Of Patent Kid.... $1.25

Women's three and four-strap sandals; of bright patent kid; hand turned soles and plain dress toes; French heels; splendid values up to $2.50; sale price, $1.25.

$2.00 Tan Oxfords Of Russia Calf.... $1.39

Women's Russia calf oxfords; tan color; light single soles, half round toes, military heels; new styles for summer wear; all sizes; actual $2.00 values; sale price, per pair, $1.39.

Women's Oxfords—Made from bright patent colt-skin; Gibson ribbon tie style; plain dress toes; high Cuban heels; hand turned soles; plenty of sizes; regular $3.00 values; sale price, pair.... $1.95

Men's House Slippers—Made of soft dongola kid; commonsense lasts; light flexible soles; a complete range of sizes; regular $1.00 values; sale price per pair.... 59c

WOMEN'S OXFORDS—Of soft vici kid, light flexible soles; round or coin toes with patent leather tips; military or opera heels; several good styles; $2.50 values; sale price, pair.... $1.59

Closing Day of Mid-Summer Sale of Fine Undermuslins. All the Goods That Have Been Displayed Go On Sale Today.

Our display of Undermuslins for this Midsummer sale has been very elaborate. Hundreds of dozens of fine undergarments were displayed in different parts of the store; some were soiled or mussed from being exposed. Many sharp reductions have been made to close these lots out in one day. The very best will sell first so come as early as you can.

DRAWERS for women, good quality, open and closed styles, deep flounce, finished with clusters of tucks, 25c and 35c values. Today per pair.... 19c

DRAWERS made from extra quality muslin, umbrella and regular styles, deep lawn flounce finished with rows of lace insertion and tucks. Actual 75c values, today pair.... 35c

GOWNS made from fine soft materials, French or Empire styles, low round neck, finished with deep ruffles and ribbons; cut full and wide, nicely finished; 75c and 85c values, today each.... 49c

GOWNS made from fine nainsook and other soft materials, long or short sleeves, French and Empire styles, yokes of laces, tucks and embroideries; values up to $1.48, today each.... 98c

Dainty $2.00 Undermuslius $1.25

Gowns made from soft finished nainsook, skirts of fine lawn and cambric, muslin with deep flounces richly trimmed; solid embroidery corset covers and dainty muslin drawers. All splendidly made and rich in laces and embroideries, some slightly mussed and soiled from being displayed. Splendid values at $2.00; today choice $1.25.

69c Petticoats 49c.

Muslin petticoats cut full and wide, deep flounce, finished with tucks; splendidly made. Regular 59c and 69c values; today each 49c.

Corset Covers 15c.

Corset covers made from good quality muslin, square and V shaped necks; finished with tucks and ruffles. 25c values today while they last, each 15c.

$2.25 Skirt Chemise 98c Each

Long skirt chemise made from good quality muslin—ruffles around neck and arm size. Yokes of lace and embroidery; deep flounce with tucks and lace ruffle. Values up to $2.25. Today each 98c.

Dress and Evening Hats $20.00 values.... $4.48

A special collection of dress and evening hats; a few black ones in the lot; also dainty pinks and light blues; chiffons, malines, embroideries and lace; beautifully trimmed with rich flowers and foliage; values up to $20.00. Choice today $4.48.

$5.00 Street Hats $2.48

Stylish new street hats; French sailor styles; desirable colors; prettily trimmed with velvet ribbons and ornaments; values up to $5.00. Today each $2.48.

Natty little sailors, made from plain colored and plaid straws; torpedo crown, good brim; bank of silk velvet and buckle; good value at $1.48; today, each.... 49c

Untrimmed shapes, made from lace striped straws in light colors; pretty, desirable models; regular prices 75c and 85c; today, each.... 35c

$20 Silk Suits Shirt Waist Styles.... $9.98

Handsome shirt waist suits, made from soft taffetas and foulards, in plain colors, polka dots and pin stripes; waists with tucks, plaits; full sleeves and fancy stocks; skirts cut full and wide; some suits elaborately trimmed with rich laces; good assortment of sizes; values up to $20.00; today, choice, $9.98.

$9.00 Wash Summer Suits $4.98

Wash suits made from linens, lawns, madras, crash and cotton etamine; prettily trimmed with oriental or embroidery, laces, tucks and plaits; good range of sizes; very attractive styles; values up to $9.00; today, choice, $4.98.

$12.50 Walking Skirts $6.48

Sample line of walking skirts made from all wool materials fancy mixtures and plain colors—newest styles very attractive models—seams all bound—plenty of sizes. $12.50 values, today each, $6.48.

Corded silk waists in blue, pink, champagne and brown; full fronts; large sleeves; fancy lace stocks and ties; good assortment of sizes; $2.48 values today each.... $1.98

Fine waists of silk, mulls, fine lawns, linens and organdies; richly trimmed with laces, embroideries and tucks; fancy cuffs and collars; values up to $6.98. Today each.... $3.48

Stylish Silk Coats of Pongee and Cloth of Gold; $12.50 and $15 values.... $9.98

Stylish coats of Pongee silk and cloth of gold; loose back, double breasted fronts; full sleeves; cape collars; finished with straps and fancy buttons, good range of sizes. Actual $12.50 and $15 values, today each, $9.98.

Basement Bargains

Four piece glass table sets, consisting of covered butter dish, sugar bowl, cream pitcher and spoon holder. Cheap at 40c; today, each.... 24c

Tin topped jelly glasses, smooth finished; today, per dozen.... 20c

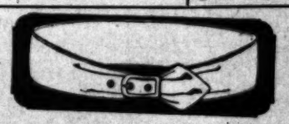
Set of six thin blown glass table tumblers, today, per set.... 20c

Glass hand lamps, complete with chimney, burner and wick, today.... 19c

Enameled Ware Worth $1.25 and $1.50 59c

High grade enameled ware, 12, 14 and 16 quart covered stone pots, covered slop pails, big dish pans, etc. Original prices, $1, $1.25 and $1.50; choice today 59c.

50 foot lengths guaranteed rubber garden hose complete with couplings, today.. $3.98



Stylish Belts, 98c values 49c

A manufacturer's sample line of women's fine belts of Peau de soie, taffeta, and gros grain silk, fancy braids and webbing—all colors—desirable styles. Newest designs in buckles of gilt, oxydized silver, cut steel, etc; all new styles; plenty of sizes. Splendid 98c values; today, each, 49c.

New Auto Bags $1.50 and $1.75 Values 98c

New Auto bags; a big shipment just received from our fancy goods buyer who is now in the East. Seal Walrus and other popular leathers in black, brown, gray and tan; strong frames, braided leather handles; newest shapes; silk linings fitted inside with coin purses and card cases; $1.50 and $1.75 values choice today, each 98c.

75c Cuff Links 39c

A big assortment of pretty cuff links—gold filled and gold plated; also pearl and enamel, new designs. Values up to 75c. Choice today 39c.

$1.00 Kid Gloves Newest Colors 69c

Women's kid gloves—best imported stock; stitched backs, two clasps, long or short fingers, spliced thumbs; all the newest colors as well as black and white; all sizes. Quality always sold at $1.00; today, per pair 69c.

Women's lisle gloves of good quality; perfect in fit and finish; good range of colors; all sizes. Our regular 35c values; today, per pair.... 19c

Women's plain and lace lisle gloves; good assortment of colors; well made; all sizes. Regular 50c value; today, per pair.... 27c

Fine quality all silk mesh gloves; embroidered backs, 2 clasps, long or short fingers; correct sizes; fit like a kid glove; all sizes; all shades. Regular $1 value; today per pair 69c

10c Handkerchiefs 5c

Women's handkerchiefs of swiss or cambric; sheer quality, lace trimmed and embroidered; others of pure linen with hemstitched borders. Regular 10c values; today, each 5c.

LOCAL POLITICS.

ODD MIX-UP IN SEVENTH WARD.

Democrats Elected to Republican Convention.

Seventh District Nomination for Congress.

Robert J. Burdette Carries Delegates With Him.

It is for J. Ross Clark, E. T. Stimson, W. D. Woolwine, E. L. Doheny and half a dozen other local capitalists to make a declaration of faith. They have been elected delegates to both the Republican county convention and the Democratic State convention.

To each last night was issued a certificate of election to both conventions.

Rumor has had it ever since last Tuesday that a few hundred converted Democrats helped the Republicans choose their delegates to the county convention; but it remained for a coterie of the unwashed down in the free-and-easy end of the Seventh Ward to select a list of ten Democratic notables to cast two tickets in the convention.

This block of ten capitalists was elected on what was supposed to be a machine ticket, and they will be expected to cast the vote of the precinct of their adoption for the renomination of Assemblyman Transue. They are also bound by the unit rule to support Ben Lauder, the machine candidate for Supervisor.

Each of these ten delegates is entitled to one-fifth of a seat in the county convention.

Precinct 91 has the honor of electing these ten men to cast the two tickets of the precinct. If any one knows just how it happened he is keeping in the dark. Deputy County Clerk Paxton said last night that he knew nothing about the election of the ninety-second precinct except that in addition to the four capitalists above mentioned, Jeff Chandler, Wesley Clark, J. Engert, R. N. Walton, W. H. Smylie and Joseph Urbina had each received seven votes for delegates to the Republican county convention. Owing to the fact that the precinct is entitled to but two delegates, Mr. Paxton said that the ten would have to be content with casting one-fifth of a vote each.

At Flint headquarters it was claimed that these Democrats were elected through an err.r. The managers said that the primary had not been held according to programme, or it would have been impossible for the electors to get off wrong. R. Burdette and E. S. Wells had been promised by the machine bosses the two certificates which have gone to the outsiders. The bosses are now clamoring for permission to make a contest before the county convention.

THE CONGRESS CONVENTION.

SEVENTH DISTRICT DELEGATES CARRY OUT SLATE.

Pasadena Man Nominated for Congress as Was Expected—Eloquent and Well Received Speech of Robert J. Burdette—Some Timely Comments by The Times.

The Seventh District Republican Congressional Convention met in the rooms of the Republican League yesterday morning and nominated Congressman James McLachlan to succeed himself. Walter F. X. Parker officiated as stage manager, directing the details of the programme from a convenient anteroom just off the stage.

James Clark of Pasadena, chairman of the Congressional Committee, called the convention to order. E. E. Selph of Los Angeles nominated J. W. Wood of Pasadena for permanent chairman and there was no opposition. Luther Brown was chosen secretary and Fred M. Alles assistant secretary.

When nominations were called for Oscar Lawler named McLachlan.

"Falsehood is the weapon of the coward," declared Mr. Lawler in his opening sentence. And he handled the weapon during the remainder of his speech as though he had used it before. He had been coaching himself on "The goblins'll git you;" and as he pictured the terrors of the situation Leo Youngworth and the other boy delegates moved up closer together and shivered.

Walter Parker looked on beaming and led in the subdued applause.

Rev. Robert J. Burdette had been asked by the programmers to second the nomination. They had programmed Mr. Burdette, but they had not programmed what he was going to say.

With a delicious mixture of eloquence and wit Mr. Burdette picked the delegates up bodily and carried them along with him, evoking cheer after cheer.

Only the boy orator did not join in the enthusiasm. No more stinging rebuke to his abortive and abusive effort could well be imagined.

Mr. Burdette's address was as follows:

BURDETTE'S SPEECH.

"It is pleasant to sit down at one Republican convention, amid the warring and discordant elements in Southern California Republicanism, that promises to be a love feast at which we may all eat out of the same dish, and, in a spirit of amity, lick the same spoon. For my plea is for harmony. I began voting before I was of age. I cast my first vote in my twentieth year in the army. It was thrown out and not counted. Nevertheless the man I voted for was elected. I have taken an active part in every political campaign since, and I have never permitted politics to interfere with my personal friendships.

"I have ridden on the band wagon and I have been run over by it. It wasn't pleasant, but I did not get up and throw mud at it. I have stood at the pie counter and fed myself pie with both hands. And again I have stood outside a window while the bleak blasts of winter whined through my summer clothes and watched the crowd inside, standing six deep at the counter, eating good pie. But I did not throw bricks through the window of the restaurant.

"Politics is the roughest game on earth. It is rougher than war. The wounds of war heal; the scars of political feuds are well nigh indelible. A man who cannot play the game like a man should keep off the field. If he cannot stand it to be slammed down on the floor, kicked in the face, thrown out the window and then get up and congratulate the man who did it for doing it so well, politics is no game for him. If he be a sensitive man, if he be unfortunate enough to be born without a skin, he should abide at home and vote for the woman his wife tells him to.

"I ran walk down street between Harrison Gray Otis and James McLachlan and keep step with each of them. True, it gives me St. Vitus in one leg and paralysis in the other, but I can do it.

"Now we are organized to fight a common enemy, not the Los Angeles Times. In the bitterness of political animosities remember the best of each other. Remember, but for the fact that alone, single-handed for more than half a score of years, The Times has been waging war for the open shop and the right of the American laborer, we in this convention might be making our nominations at the dictation of walking delegates from San Francisco.

"Remember that for near a score of years The Times has been fighting a boycott extending all over the United States, that has expended in one year $35,000 in Los Angeles to down a Los Angeles enterprise. Other papers have come and gone; they have changed their names, their owners, their editors and their politics, but The Times was here yesterday, it is here today, it will be here tomorrow. Republicanism has no fight with The Times. Fight the Herald, Fight the Examiner, fight that little torpedo boat, the Record. They will give us enough fighting, and hot enough, between now and November.

"Let us get through with the things that distract us. Let us settle the Senatorial question, whether we once more replace the toga on the shoulders of a man honorable in years, ripe in experience, wearing the white crown of honor on his brow, Thomas R. Bard [cheers.] or give it to that brilliant type of clean handed, true-hearted, self-made young manhood, Frank P. Flint. [Cheers.]

"There was a commercial traveler came to a hotel down in York State one stormy winter night about midnight. He could get no room. 'Why,' he said, 'you can't turn me away from this house. I have been coming here for eleven years.'

"The landlord told him there was only one empty room. 'It was next to a room occupied by a nervous invalid who could not endure the slightest noise near him. If the belated guest would be quiet as a ghost he might have that room.

"He promised, as we all of us promise anything to get what we want. But, like the rest of us, when he got it, he forgot, took off his first shoe roughly and slammed it across the room man fashion.

"'Gee,' he said, 'I'll drive that man crazy.' Then he skinned off the other shoe, disrobed and went to bed like a sinner. In about an hour the sick man pounded on the partition.

"'What's the matter now,'" said the traveler.

"'Why,' came the feeble reply, 'I'm a sick man; I am a nervous wreck, and I can't go to sleep until you take off that other shoe.'

"The Republican party of California will feel its corns ache until it gets both Senatorial shoes adjusted.

"I implore you, then, let us close the ranks till we feel the touch of loyal comradeship all along the line, and in the glorious name of a splendid party, that has done immortal work for God, humanity, human freedom and soul-progress, let us in the name of the party whose banner is starred with illustrious names, Fremont, Lincoln, Hayes, Garfield, McKinley, Roosevelt, Pardee and McLachlan. Let us keep step to the marching music of our own songs of liberty and march on to the triumphant reelection of the standard-bearer whose nomination I have the honor here to second, James McLachlan.

"Write it on the tablets of your memory today only eighty-eight days to victor yand McLachlan."

At the conclusion of Mr. Burdette's address a vote was taken and McLachlan's nomination was declared unanimous.

A committee sought the Congressman in an anteroom and brought him into the hall.

The Congressman was received with applause and made a pitifully weak talk, accepting the nomination. He claimed the chief credit for the breakwater operations of the government at San Pedro, sharing it, however, with one to whom he referred as "Our Vice-Presidential nominee, Mr. Fairchild."

The delegates looked pained. "Fairbanks, Mack," coached Luther Brown in a stage whisper, but the speaker was dredging the inner harbor and didn't hear.

The following resolutions were adopted:

"Whereas, Hon. James McLachlan has represented this Congressional district in the Congress of the United States for three terms with signal fidelity and ability, and upon all great national issues before Congress his vote has invariably been in harmony with the general sentiment of his Republican constituency; and, whereas, during his incumbency of the office he has secured greater Federal aid and appropriation for Los Angeles county than the combined total of that secured by all of his predecessors; and, whereas, largely by his zealous labors, there is now being constructed at San Pedro a harbor which will, when completed, prove sufficient for the largest vessels of war or commerce; and whereas, by his persistent and well-directed efforts, and under difficulties the most perplexing and discouraging, he has succeeded in securing a magnificent appropriation that will give Los Angeles a fine public building, which will stand as a tribute to his energy and usefulness; be it therefore

"Resolved, That we, the representatives of the Republicans of this Seventh Congress District, heartily indorse Hon. James McLachlan's official acts and commend him for his fidelity to the trust imposed upon him and heartily recommend him to the support of all voters of this district; and, be it further

"Resolved, That the Congressional nominee of this convention be authorized to appoint a Congressional committee of fifteen, being one from each Assembly district and six at large, which Congressional committee shall be the governing body of the Republican party for the Seventh Congress District of California; also that the chairman of the committee appoint an auditing committee of five, to receive, audit and disburse the funds used in the Congressional campaign, and to make the proper report thereof, all in accordance with the general election laws of the State of California; that said Congressional committee be authorized and directed to file all necessary certificates of nominations and petitions, as required by law; to call this convention to reconvene for any purpose that may be necessary, and to perform all other acts within the general authority and scope of said committee.

"That the chairman of said committee be authorized to fill any vacancy occurring in said Congressional or auditing committees."

REMARKS.

(1.) The convention did what was expected of it. It was organized to nominate McLachlan and it nominated him. The well-oiled "machine" produced results according to its purpose and construction. It was designed and constructed not to represent the people by giving different candidates a chance, but to nominate the sitting member.

(2.) Oscar Lawler, the brash youth with his sophomoric oratory always on tap, showed more zeal than wisdom, more partisanship than patriotism. He may possibly know more when he grows older. This remains to be seen, however. His foolish and excessive adulation of McLachlan was mere gush without any sufficient foundation to rest upon or adequate basin to hold it. Oscar's reckless charge against The Times of employing "covert tactics" against his favorite—this charge, of all others, has nothing to stand upon, and Oscar knows it. The Times has invariably been open and direct in its criticisms of the weak Congressman whom it has steadily opposed for the good of the district. The Times has directed its fire from the open, not from any concealed battery, as all readers can testify. Moreover, the "boy orator" knows that a private signal has even now been agreed upon by the "machine" for McLachlan's overthrow. His days are numbered; he is to be sacrificed, but the work of slaughter is reserved for the "machine;" it is to be done by nobody else than the "machine" men themselves and in their own chosen way and time. That means "next time." So that the "boy orator's" guff about leaving McLachlan in Congress "as long as he chooses to stay there" was the rawest sort of hypocrisy. The crime of The Times, in the eyes of the "machine," consists in its advocacy of McLachlan's retirement before the date fixed. Perhaps the "boy orator" himself considers that he is in the "line of succession?" Huh!

(3.) In his own speech, McLachlan, relying upon the shortness of the popular memory undertook to claim things for himself in the San Pedro Harbor campaign, that he never achieved—"never in a thousand years." A long time ago, while this shifty statesman was vacillating and oscillating between Santa Monica and the corner of Fourth and Townsend streets, San Francisco, and when it was notorious that he could not be depended upon as a reliable friend of San Pedro Harbor, could not be depended upon to stand for it against railroad blandishment, railroad threats and railroad money—the Los Angeles Times was making a steady, fearless and tenacious campaign for the permanent location of the government site of the great free harbor which after eight years of conflict on the part of the people against C. P. Huntington and the powerful Southern Pacific Railway corporation, was won; won without McLachlan's help, as everybody knows. Later, when it was easy and after the first and hardest battle had been fought and won, the Claimant swung into line for improvements there. And then he began to claim and holler, and he has kept it up ever since.

What he means by his charge against The Times of "butting in" is difficult to determine. The Times never took orders, or pretended to take orders, from this infantile statesman on any subject whatever; and it neither "butted in" nor kept out at his instance. He has therefore no right to question the acts of this independent journal whether at home or in Washington, touching public questions or public matters of any kind.

In his poor, weeping tirade yesterday McLachlan indulged in a covert threat—something about "drawing aside the veil" in connection with something or other the effect of which, according to the Claimant, would be to "uncover the motives of The Times," or words to that effect. Very well. Let the "drawing" process be begun forthwith. The Times is ready for the awful exposure, whatever it may be.

Among other vicious and groundless utterances of McLachlan's in the course of his turgid oratory was a charge based upon a statement of his friend Wood—"Johnnie," the perniciously active political postmaster of Pasadena—who has recently blossomed out in the role of a sensational reporter by way of the telephone route. "Johnnie," it seems, went to the avid McLachlan with a cock-and-bull story about an alleged interview between Wood and the editor of The Times. In that matter Wood drew upon his imagination for a gross fabrication, and the draft was honored. He simply murdered the truth and could be convicted of the crime were he a responsible being before the bar. It was mighty small business when James McLachlan quoted "Johnnie" Wood's fabrication in a Republican Congress convention and tried to extract sympathy for himself out of the incident. And yet it is not surprising, for McLachlan is capable of just that thing. His poor, cheap tactics superinduce fatigue.

McLachlan had the hardihood, in the same convention, to assert a deliberate and malicious falsehood, viz: That the marble tablet which is fixed in the south front wall of the Times building was placed there by Gen. H. G. Otis, the long-time and responsible editor of this journal. That tablet, as citizens well know, commemorates the work—the eight years' work—of The Times in behalf of the free harbor at San Pedro. That tablet was placed there, as all can testify who are not liars, by the free act of a free people, who themselves had so gallantly and so long supported The Times in its efforts to secure for them that vital improvement and so make forever impossible the attempted monopoly by a selfish railway corporation of what is destined to become one of the famous harbors of the Coast, the country and the world. Moreover, the lie direct is given to McLachlan's foolhardy and vicious charge by the simple fact of history. The tablet was placed where it is during the absence of Gen. Otis from the country while serving in time of war as a soldier under the country's flag. He was not even present at the ceremony of placing the tablet, which occurred on the 27th day of April, 1899. So much for that silly statement of a poor, weak, desperate man, who ought to hate a lie, but apparently loves one.

(4.) That gallant gentleman, friend and soldier, Robert J. Burdette, who does hate a lie, was not silent under the denunciations of Lawler and McLachlan. He told the convention some congealed truths and gave it some good warm advice that apparently had its effect, even upon a body "organized to convict," as Henry Winter Davis said was the chief object of a court-martial. Thanks, brave comrade, and accept a well-deserved salute!—The Times.]

One of McLachlan's Letters.

Following is a copy of a letter sent to the editor of The Times by McLachlan in 1894:

PALACE HOTEL,

SAN FRANCISCO (Cal.) Sept. 8, 1894.

—Col. H. G. Otis—Dear Sir: Am on my way to Santa Cruz county. Have just seen a copy of The Times, September 7. You will pardon me for saying that I could not keep the tears back when I read the leading editorial. Knowing my own heart, I have felt deeply the position that it seemed wise to you to take toward me during the past few months.

I am glad to say that I had never lost faith that you would yet do what was right by me when you understood the situation.

I am glad to be able to feel that you have at last done me simple justice. I am giving my whole energy to this fight now, and I am glad that I can feel free to go to you now and advise with you. Will be absent about three weeks on this trip through Santa Cruz, Monterey and San Luis Obispo counties.

Again thanking you, I am respectfully yours,

[Signed] JAMES M'LACHLAN.

Adopt Unit Rule.

A majority of the delegates elected to the Republican County Convention from the Seventh Ward met last night at No. 657 Central avenue for the purpose of effecting a ward organization. R. L. Hazen was elected chairman of the delegation. The delegates indorsed the candidacy of Ben Lauder for Supervisor from the Second Supervisoral District and adopted the unit rule. The delegation of distinguished Democrats from Precinct 92 did not attend.

New Richmond.

H. L. Sauers of Gardena has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for the State Assembly from the Seventieth Assembly District. Mr. Sauers has entered the lists as a Bard supporter.

ARIZONA.

TAX RATE CUT IN TERRITORY.

REPUBLICAN MANAGEMENT HAS GOOD RESULTS.

Ten Cents on Hundred Dollars Valuation Shaved Off This Year, and Same Last Year—More Railroads Projected — Mayor Won't Deal With Citizens' Committee.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) August 11.—Under good Republican management, the Territorial tax rate has been reduced this year 10 cents on the $100 of valuation. Last year also a 10-cent reduction was made from the rate of the year before. This year the rate will be 95 cents for Territrial purposes. The decrease has come about mainly through the operation of the Cowan law, which has turned $100 a day into the Territorial treasury from incorporation fees that formerly went to the Territorial Secretary. The Territorial Board of Equalization has not completed its labors. The clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Apache county has not forwarded his annual report, a lapse that will cost him a fine of $200. A mounted messenger has been dispatched from Holbrook to St. John for the report. The total tax valuation of the Territory is expected to reach $44,500,000, an increase of $1,500,000 over the figures of 1903.

The Consolidated Telephone, Telegraph and Electric Company, the successor of the Sunset Company in the Arizona telephone field, has announced that work is to be begun soon on a connection by telephone of California and Arizona. The company has just acquired 117 miles of telephone lines in the Imperial country. This system is to be connected with San Diego, a distance of about eighty miles. Eastward the line is to be extended to Yuma and to connection with the Arizona system at Buckeye, thirty-five miles west of Phoenix.

Twenty-five carloads of Bakersfield oil have been received by the Maricopa and Phoenix Railroad Company, which already has begun sprinkling its track between this city and the Southern Pacific connection at Maricopa.

Southern Pacific interests, represented by Epes Randolph, have filed in Colorado the articles of incorporation of the Arizona and Colorado Railway Company. The projected road is to be from Durango through the eastern part of Arizona to a Southern Pacific connection at or near Cochise station, there joining the Pearce and Cananea system. Several branch roads are outlined in Colorado.

It is told that the Santa Fé Company will entirely change the location of its tracks around Crozier station, where the most solid of construction seems too weak to defy the recurrent cloudbursts. The track is to be changed to a terrace on the side of Crozier Cañon, up above the reach of the floods. Some points along the Santa Fé in Arizona the precipitation for the past month has reached four inches. Most of the railroad reservoirs have been well filled with water, that will be worth hundreds of thousands of dollars to the company.

At Ora Bella Camp in Yavapai county, a cloudburst destroyed several thousand dollars worth of mining equipment and narrowly endangered the lives of a number of miners.

A few months ago a number of public-spirited citizens of Phoenix gave their notes for $300 each, that cash might be raised at once for the building of the Tonto Basin road. The notes, held by the local banks, have just been returned to the makers, the banks liberally remitting all interest. The share of Phoenix in the road, in amount $68,799, has just been paid by E. H. Rollins & Sons of New York, purchasers of the municipal bonds. Four hundred men are working on the road, which is to be completed October 1. About 1000 men are employed already on the work of digging the power canal and in the beginning of operations around the dam site.

A beginning is being made on the expenditure of $100,000 voted by the Territorial Legislature for improvements at the Territorial asplum for the insane. It is proposed to apply the cottage system in the care of the inmates.

Frank L. Wright, manager of the Prescott Electric Company, of the Prescott telephone system and of the Prescott electric railway, has ordered the necessary apparatus and pipe and will install a gas-lighting system in Prescott.

Mayor Dennis Burke of Prescott is an odd genius, whose official acts are marked with singular bluntness of expression. Lately a mass meeting was held by Prescott citizens, who appointed a committee to investigate the books of the city. Burke has refused to allow the committee access to the books, but expresses his entire willingness to allow them fullest access to the accounts if the members will materialize at his office in their character of private citizens.

On Labor Day, September 5, the miners' unions of Yavapai county will hold a reunion and celebrate at Granite Dells, north of Prescott.

For the first time in a dozen years, the South Methodist Church in Arizona will not hold its annual camp meeting on its grounds in Brill's addition, Phoenix.

The defalcation of Under-Sheriff Sias of Yavapai county have been figured up at over $2000. The loss will fall upon Sheriff Roberts.

Harry MacKay, a vaudeville actor of considerable repute, died a few days ago in Phoenix. The night before his death he had appeared as a volunteer in a sketch at the Park Theater. For a number of years he was manager of a show in El Paso.

Hermann Gunther, a gunsmith, for ten years a resident of Phoenix, left his home Monday to visit the grave of his wife in the Nesbr's addition cemetery. He had gone only a short distance when he fell unconscious in the street. Yesterday he died. As he was destitute, his two sons in San Diego, Cal., were wired. They sent back $10, with instructions that the body be buried here.

At Prescott a few days ago Archie Anderson, a popular railroad man, leaned too far from the step of a locomotive cab, striking a section of a platform and being knocked beneath the wheels. Both legs were terribly crushed, the injuries causing death within a few hours. Carried to a hospital, Anderson at once called for his wife and child, who were with him to the end. The funeral was one of the most imposing ever known in Prescott, participated in by the fire department, secret orders and railway men. Anderson had lived in Los Angeles, where a number of relatives reside.

Will C. Hydon, a well-known newspaper man, died today at the Sisters' Hospital, primarily from overheating. A widow and daughter live in Denver.

Abe Sroor, a merchant at Congress, dropped dead in his home town while watching a game between the local and Prescott baseball nines. From reports of the quality of the game put up, the only wonder is that there were no more fatalities among the spectators.

Hattie Buckley has sued the Phoenix Light and Fuel Company for $5000 damages, alleged due through the killing of her husband, J. J. Buckley, through a gas explosion in the Palace saloon, April 4.

Among late departures for Los Angeles are included W. A. James, George Christy, H. G. Cristy, B. L. McCurdy, W. J. Valentine, R. G. Smith, W. L. Moore and wife, Mrs. W. H. Hart, H. Eldred, W. R. Ludlow, R. L. Carew.

CRASHES OVER END OF PIER.

ALMOST FATAL CAR ACCIDENT ON REDONDO WHARF.

Freight Train Breaks and Rear Car Flying Seaward Smashes Over Bumper, Demolishes Walk and Forces Man to Leap Into Sea. Woman Barely Saved from Jump.

REDONDO, Aug. 12.—A freight car crashing the bumpers between it and the sea and sliding out over the end of the wharf, a man forced to leap into the ocean and a woman escaping a fall into the briny only by a lucky clutch of a man standing nearby caused great excitement here this evening.

Wharf No. 1 was alive with fishermen who were taking advantage of one of the biggest runs of mackerel that have been here in a long while. A train broke in two, and the free car at the rear end went flying seaward.

Near the end of the wharf were bumpers. Between the bumpers and the outer end of the pier was a narrow walkway on a level with the platform or deck of the wharf, and about four feet above the level of the tracks.

Smashing the bumpers out of the way and running over them the car kept on till its end projected several feet seaward beyond the end of the pier.

Upon the walk at the time were Miss Inez Randall of Bakersfield, who is here for the summer; J. H. Brown, J. G. Thomas, J. F. Martin, Dad Holmes, W. H. Momson and several others.

They were directly in the way of the car.

J. G. Thomas to save himself, was compelled to jump overboard, and while in the water was struck by some of the falling timbers. He was quickly rescued by some sailors in a small boat from one of the nearby vessels.

Miss Randall was seized by J. H. Brown as she was falling overboard and brought to a place of safety, her only injury being a sprained wrist.

Mr. Holmes was caught by his son just as the platform upon which he was seated gave away.

Several accidents have happened in the same place previous to this, but always on the lower deck of the wharf, and warning signs are frequent along that section, but this is the first time that the upper structure has ever been damaged.

When the cars struck the bumpers the foreman thinks the bumpers slipped back to almost the middle of the car, allowing the end of the car to protrude over the water.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ANGELUS—Paul A. Zilling, Dr. Fritz Kestner, St. Louis; Miss Mary Powell, Miss Mary Carberry, San Francisco; J. S. French, Cincinnati; J. McDonald, San Francisco; A. A. Newman, Miss Newman, Miss Lyllyan Newman, Chicago; L. C. Pease, Columbus; Chas. A. Kjeenmann, Mexico; Dr. and Mrs. Philip M. Thomas, San Francisco; Miss Shedaker, Miss C. Shedaker, Philadelphia.

VAN NUYS—L. J. Johnson and wife, Phoenix, Ariz.; Howard M. Earl, Philadelphia; Mrs. R. H. Webb, Santa Barbara; Manuel Silveroil, San Diego; W. W. Burton, Francis T. Underhill, Santa Barbara; E. Louis Keobass, M. A. Buermann, St. Louis; T. A. Driscoll, San Francisco; Wilfred H. Munro, Providence, R. I.; E. C. Irwin, Atlanta, Ga.; J. Y. Walter, A. T. DeForest, A. C. Rulofson, Mrs. L. Buck, San Francisco.

WESTMINSTER—Mr. and Mrs. W. Metcalf, Bradley; J. D. Rodgers, Phoenix; Mr. and Mrs. Smith and son, Butte; Harry Hill, Denver; F. F. Elsner, Milwaukee; Harry Wood and wife, Denver; E. V. Faulkner, Topeka; Andy McCarthy, San Francisco; Frank Dow, Chicago; A. W. Roach, Fort Wayne; D. Lewis, Detroit; H. L. Anderson, Omaha; Mrs. S. Edmond, Cincinnati.

HOLLENBECK—Louis Dorf, J. N. Provard, Miss Florence Provard, Miss Anita Provard, L. C. Black, L. L. Stone, H. Hunter, F. E. Green, Edward A. Hourahan, George W. Pratt, C. L. Lewis, C. H. Biemer, G. W. Barnard, Oscar Levy, A. E. Garcia (colored) and wife, G. H. DeValin, Robert Brown, H. Oppenheim, Charles F. Brown, Ralph Brown, M. M. Snyder, John Deneri and wife, San Francisco; M. A. Blodgett, S. H. Boomer, Bakersfield; G. W. Lloyd, W. H. McGinnis, Randsburg; H. W. Rickenbacher, L. V. Root, Needles; H. J. Tinting, H. L. Juntgen, Chicago; Mrs. C. Thieme, A. E. Garcia (colored) wife, San Diego; L. B. Mumma, Dayton, O.; F. E. Bernard, Ventura; D. G. Overale, Visalia; W. E. Sprott, Porterville; H. F. Rice and wife, Boston; C. E. Cramer, Philadelphia; Sidney Smith, Louisville, Ky.; Henry B. Stoddard, Bridgeport; E. T. Hart, Montague, Mass.; R. E. Williams, St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. A. Parsons, Santa Barbara; S. Gonsoulin, Red Bluff; W. A. Green, St. Joseph, Ariz.; F. M. Doan, Tombstone, Ariz.; John M. Coleman, Reynolds, Pa.; J. W. Coleman, Jerome, Ariz.; J. F. Mitchell, Hanford.

NADEAU—John C. Hadrea, New York; B. Covey, Kingman; Hugo Eichwald, El Paso; S. Gripworth and wife, W. B. Lincoln, Scotland; C. Parker, A. G. Simeneau, Carl M. Koenig, San Francisco; J. E. Reynolds, Ventura; L. McKenzie, San Jose; E. C. Martin and family, Sacramento; W. H. Appel, Wilcox; James Wells, Mrs. Louise Taber, San Diego; Ben M. Crawford, Clifton; Thomas Conant, Alamos, Mex.; Miss M. M. Rebendorff, Stanford University; Miss Elizabeth Lovett, Red Bluff.

VAN NUYS BROADWAY—W. H. Fisk, Chicago; Mrs. Henson, Boston; C. Delks, R. Davis, San Francisco; L. D. Caruthers, Moscow; Harry K. Lowman, Philadelphia; A. C. Dawson and wife, Lumber City; J. H. Gillespie, Portland; P. G. Harrison, St. Lawrence; L. N. Morrison and wife, Las Vegas.

MOSBLEY—J. A. McDowell and wife, Kalvin, Ariz.; Oscar Werner, Palo Alto; N. J. Anderson, Ventura; F. L. Wallingford, San Francisco; M. A. Callahan, Santa Barbara; Miss C. E. Beale, London; D. F. Gafrand and wife, San Jose; F. P. Pfefer, San Francisco; Henry Koch, Jr., San Diego; Mrs. S. Simmons, Albert Callender, Mrs. E. Clinton, San Francisco; Mrs. D. R. Daniels, Pierce, Ariz.; W. R. Thomas, Calexico; P. George DuCorpi, San Francisco; G. B. Rose, Chicago; J. B. Douglas, San Diego; Allan.

NATICK—J. M. Taylor, Thermal; W. F. Stafford, San Francisco; W. R. Gleason, Manila, P. I.; L. Mott, Paso Robles; William Partridge and wife, Oakland; Mrs. J. C. Hamilton, Mrs. L. M. Walters, San Jose; Mrs. L. B. Williams, Glenn's Ferry, Pa.; E. Olsen, Tempe, Ariz.; J. H. White, Santa Barbara; John Ketcheside, Yuma, Ariz.; G. F. Leavy and wife, Spokane; R. Kennedy, Woodcock; P. M. Alston, Big Pine; George Connell and wife, Prescott; Mrs. Roy McCouls, Randsburg; James Johnson, Needles; C. B. Martin, C. H. De Long and wife, Bakersfield; Maude Williams, Minnie Williams, Guadalupe; Rachel C. Shaw, Nellie Brom-ley, Philadelphia; J. E. Farrell, San Diego; S. C. McPheeters, H. J. Sternberg, A. C. Magaw, Thorman, E. F. Masterson, Hamburg; W. G. Williams, Thomas Heavside, Kodak; Ray C. Hackett, Bisbee; Mrs. A. W. Arbuckle, J. Moore, La Cananea, Mex.; Samuel De Casse and wife, Yuma; M. F. Malgan, San Francisco; E. A. Matthews, Bakersfield; George K. Merrill, Victoria, B. C.; R. B. Thayer, Thermal; A. B. Allen, mother and brother, Tulare.

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On one of Eugene Field's visits to London he was dining one evening with a company most of whom were strangers to him. The lady on his right was stout, somewhat more than middle-aged, and little inclined to be thoughtful of others. When it was casually remarked that Fields was from Chicago, she turned to him, put her glasses to her eyes, and remarked:

"Oh, indeed! And how do people live in Chicago?"

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One of the prominent features of the day will be a great parade of the Veteran Society of Philippine War Veterans and of the native Filipino troops serving in the scouts and constabulary battalions. This parade will start on the Philippine Exposition grounds and proceed through the main streets and plazas of the World's Fair. The column will be under the command of one of the leading generals of the United States Army, who has commanded in the Philippines. The Philippine scouts, under command of Gen. William H. Johnson, and the Philippine constabulary, the civic military police of the islands, commanded by Capt. Ira Reader, each with its respective band will march in the parade.

Combined, the native soldiery will be nearly 1000 strong. They are reputed to be among the best drilled troops in Uncle Sam's service.

Following the parade there will be exercises on the Philippine Exposition grounds. Addresses will be delivered by Secretary of War Taft, President Francis of the World's Fair, members of the Honorary Board of Philippine Commissioners, Dr. William H. Wilson, chairman of the Philippine Exposition Board, and other distinguished persons, who will be present.

Field drills executed by the Philippine scouts and constabulary on their extensive parade grounds will include bayonet work, wall scaling, calisthenics and drills with rifles, and drills to bugle calls. The scouts and constabulary organizations will then participate in a grand parade, reviewed by the distinguished military party.

Features during all of these ceremonies will be supplied by two native Philippine bands, the constabulary band numbering eighty pieces being the largest in the World's Fair and both said to be among the best musical organizations in the world. Concerts will be given in the evening on the beautiful grounds of the Philippine reservation, in the native style Café Luson with dining verandas, an eighth of a mile long is situated.

Of the thousands of visitors, who will attend the World's Fair on Philippine Day, there will be many other special features to interest. Boat races on the beautiful Arrow-head Lake by men of the Samal Moro Village and exhibitions in pearl diving will be given by the water sports indulged in by the "Sea Gypsies" of Mindanao Island.

For the first time visitors will have opportunity to enter the Bagobo village, which on that day will be opened to the public. Here the natives may be seen garbed in their beads and adorned with many bells and musical trinkets. Musical bracelets and anklets of their strange fashion will clink harmoniously with the dances executed by Bagobo boys and girls.

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The Igorot people, who are a curious race in Manila, are garbed only in a narrow breech-clout and tiny cap, which is "more as a pocket or receptacle for their trinkets than as protection for the head. Primitive as are the people of the islands, they have been taught to use the telephone, typewriter and get much benefit from these modern instruments of white civilization.

In contrast with many barbaric customs still in use, the Suyoc members of the Igorrote tribe give an interesting exhibition of mining and smelting gold brought from their copper and gold mines at home. The women of the tribe may be seen following the ancient pursuit of weaving bright-colored cloths.

Among the most interesting sights in the sixty-acre Philippine Exposition is the model Filipino school where native people are instructed in the rudiments of modern education by native teachers. Miss Zamora, The Philippine Maiden, her dog feast, the Negrito with his poisoned arrow and his primitive abode on the water to sit at a varnished desk in a modern American schoolhouse and study the A B C's.

The Igorrote village, offering the quaintest type of native, furnishes an interesting industrial display in beautiful basket-work executed by the women. Visitors may also see the wood carving done by the men, and, in some parts of the village, examples of transportation, from the canoe or water buffalo and cart, will be dancing and singing by the Visayan boys and girls in the Open-air Theater, music by the Visayan Band, and weaving of the famous pineapple fiber cloths.

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COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	82	60	71	New York	82	62	72
Washington	85	62	72	Buffalo	82	60	64
Pittsburgh	78	58	68	Cincinnati	94	64	74
Chicago	90	67	04	St. Paul	94	56	75
St. Louis	90	58	69	Kansas City	90	72	81
Los Angeles	86	62	73	Jacksonville	94	68	76

*The maximum is for August 11; the minimum for August 12. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Aug. 12.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.87; at 5 p.m., 29.90. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 62 deg. and 74 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 86 per cent.; 5 p.m., 47 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., calm; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 81 deg.; minimum, 62 deg. Rainfall reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—Nearly stationary temperature is reported on the Pacific Slope for the past twenty-four hours, and generally clear weather, though there is some cloudiness on the California coast and in the southwest. Showers continue in Arizona and northeasterly to South Dakota. Moderate barometric abnormal has fallen in the Lower Mississippi Valley, in the Atlantic Coast States and in the upper lake region, with thunderstorms at various points.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Tonight cloudy; showers in extreme Southeast; Saturday cloudy.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The pressure has fallen slowly along the northern coast and risen over California. Showers are reported in Idaho, Utah and Nevada. Thunderstorms are reported at Independence, Modena, Salt Lake City and Pocatello. The temperature has risen over Oregon and Washington. In California, there has been but little change, and conditions are about normal. Forecast:

For Northern California: Cloudy Saturday; probably thunderstorms in the mountains; light southerly winds.

Southern California: Cloudy Saturday; possibly thunderstorms in the mountains; light southwest winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Saturday; possibly sprinkles in the morning; light southerly wind.

Sacramento: Cloudy Saturday; probably thunderstorms in the Sierras; light south wind.

Fresno: Cloudy Saturday; thunderstorms in the Sierras; light north wind.

Nevada: Cloudy Saturday.

Arizona: Fair in south; showers in north portion Saturday and Sunday.

YUMA (Ariz.) Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Geological Survey.] Gauge height Colorado River, 21.90 feet.

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PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpet cleaning, upholstering and repairing. We buy and sell carpets. 627 S. BROADWAY. Main 811; Home 817.

ALL-WOOL MATTRESS FACTORY AND UPHOLSTERY. New and repair work; also carpets cleaned and laid. 434 NEW HIGH ST. Phone Main 2182. Home 2182.

GRAND BALL AT CENTRAL HALL, COR. Washington and Central ave., Friday evening, Aug. 13. Complimentary invites free. Given by Home Commercial Club. 13

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BONDERS SAME PRICE AS PAPER. BEST paint, $1.50 gallon. WALTER, 627 S. Spring.

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PERSONAL—Business.

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PERSONAL—GENTLEMAN, WHO WILL tour through England and Scotland would like to make reciprocal arrangements for the introduction of California wines, brandy, olive oil and other products. Address N, box 12, TIMES OFFICE.

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PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, PALMIST. Life reading, business, lawsuits, removals, travels, mineral locations described properly, speculation, health, wealth, all affairs in life. 414½ S. SPRING, room 2. 25c and $1.

PERSONAL—FREE LOTS TO ADVERTISE N. Y suburb. Send self-addressed envelope for one lot; Oceanview; high elevation. SEASIDE CO., 321 Broadway, N. Y. 13

PERSONAL—HAVE YOU READ "LOVE and Life?" If not, you've missed it. Greatest book out; plain, 25c; with 32 full-page illustrations true to life, 50c. BOX 629, Los Angeles.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, 311½ S. SPRING, palmist, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

PERSONAL—RATE FOR ADS. UNDER THIS heading, 10c per line; minimum charge, 25c.

WANTED Help. Male.

WANTED—

F. MURATA,
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416 South Los Angeles st.

A strictly first-class, reliable agency in the city; all kinds of Japanese help promptly furnished. Your order solicited. Tel. Main 1146; Home 6121.

WANTED—HARVEY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 204 E. 2nd st., special today: Camp cook, $40, free fare; 2 flunkays, $20 month, free fare; camp waiter, $25 month; four painters, $2 day; concrete mixer, $2.50 day; laborers, $2; 13 tunnelers, $2 day; plenty of work for everyone. PHONE 282. 13

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS SOLICITOR (FOR Los Angeles); can secure employment at once; those experienced with stocks and bonds, whose securities are guaranteed; good brokerage to right party. Address AERIAL NAVIGATION CO., 318 Rialto Bldg., San Francisco, Cal.

WANTED—BARBER TRADE TAUGHT AND wages paid while learning; lowest rate on this Coast. For full particulars call or address AMERICAN BARBER COLLEGE CO., incorporated, 412 N. Main.

WANTED—GENTLEMAN ACQUAINTED with church-going people to assist in introducing something which interests every Christian. Address P, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 14

WANTED — 3 BRIGHT BOYS, 14 TO 17 years old, in wholesale house; must write good hand; excellent chances for advancement. Address N, box 21, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD RELIABLE MAN FOR delivery wagon, also good fish and poultry man, if you want good men apply. PALACE MARKET, 3rd and Spring. 13

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. Housecleaning by day or hour; cook, waiter, store work, etc. Main 2034. 434 E. THIRD. Japanese Y. M. C. A. 13

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WANTED—FIRST CLASS SHAPER HAND and bandsawer, who understands sash, doors and blinds. SUTER-HEVENER MILL & MFG. CO., Sacramento, Cal. 16

WANTED — SALESMAN; EXPERIENCED man in fruit and fresh meat cutter, steady work, large store; must furnish references. 453 S. BROADWAY. 13

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WANTED—UPHOLSTERER; MUST understand general furniture business; steady job; address, stating wages wanted, S. H. BROWN, Ontario. 14

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO APPRENTICE in the foundry; a good trade and good opportunity. ADVANCE MACH. CO., 128 San Pedro st.

WANTED—TWO GOOD EXPERIENCED tie makers to contract for making ties. Apply at BROOKINGS LUMBER & BOX CO., Highland, Cal. 14

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THE HENDERSON EMP. AGENCY,
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Phones M. 1830, Home 3425.

Family cook, beach, $30; girl, general housework, Pasadena, $20; another, Orange county, $30; middle-aged woman to assist, $15; other general housework places, $12 to $30; forelady steam laundry, $12 per week; waitresses, $25; room and board; extra waitresses, beach, tonight, $1 and fare; girls to pack dried fruit, city. 13

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WANTED — COOK, BOARDING-HOUSE, beach, $25; 20 girls for fruit packing, 75c to $1 day; 10 waitresses, Santa Barbara, $25; 2 waitresses, pear big beach, $25; extra waitresses, $2; house girl, family of 3, $20; starch ironers, $1.50; assist, plain cooking, home nights, $7 week; other orders. MRS. GREGG, Miss Day's office, 121½ S. Broadway. 13

WANTED—COOK, CITY, $40; BEACH, $30; country, $30; fruit packers, city; waitresses, hotel, beach, Sunday work, fare paid; counter work, city; general work, city, country and beaches, $15 to $30; day work, Monday and Tuesday. MRS. KEIFFER, 321½ S. Spring. 14

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WANTED—A GIRL OR MIDDLE-AGED woman to assist in light work. Apply 1411 S. FLOWER. 13

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WANTED—FANCY IRONER. MUNGER'S LAUNDRY, 814 S. Main. 14

WANTED— Situations. Male.

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WANTED — BY YOUNG MAN, 24, GOOD habits, situation learning to run automobile; small wages at start, good references. Address M, box 89, TIMES OFFICE. 14

WANTED—YOUNG MAN DESIRES POSITion; has been idle for 3 years; willing worker at any thing; eastern references. Address O, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 13

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WANTED — SHOE AND FURNISHING salesman from the East would like steady position, city or country. Address O, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 14

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WANTED—JAPANESE WISH TO WORK for store, bar or office, in mornings, 6 to 8. KAI, 612 Lebanon st. 16

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WANTED—POSITION BY A BOY, 15, IN A wholesale house, best references. 722 ALPINE ST. 13

WANTED—SITUATION, GOOD STEADY barber wishes situation. Apply 1529 E. 9TH ST. City. 13

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WANTED—BY A RESPONSIBLE YOUNG woman, a place as caretaker or housekeeper where a refined, responsible woman is needed; do not answer unless you need responsible help by a neat, good woman; reference asked and given. Address P, box 33, TIMES OFFICE. 13

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WANTED—MAN AND WIFE WANT charge of rooming-house. Apply 2316 W. PICO ST. 14

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WANTED — AGENTS WANTED TO SELL our high-grade nursery stock; outfit free; cash advanced weekly; write today for choice of territory. CHICO NURSERY CO., Chico, Cal.

WANTED—RESPONSIBLE PARTY TO DEvote all or part of time as agent for high-grade visible typewriter. Address O, box 47, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—GOOD BUSINESS MAN TO take charge of office of established business in this city; must have $3000 to invest. References exchanged. Address O, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 14

WANTED—A PARTNER IN THE BUSINESS which pays about $300 per month. It will take $400 in cash to buy ⅓ interest. Don't call unless you mean business. Call 218 S. BROADWAY. Room 229. 14

WANTED—A PARTNER WITH FIRST class references in a good established restaurant, doing the business. Address city, Address O.K. box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 29

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WANTED—FOR 2 MONTHS, COMPLETELY furnished bungalow or cottage of 5 or 7 rooms in Westlake, Pico Heights or West Adams Heights districts; must be well located, have improved grounds and be first-class in every respect; will pay $75 per month for the right place; only two in family. Address O, box 79, TIMES OFFICE. 14

WANTED—TO RENT, FURNISHED, BY 3 adults, first-class cottage or flat south west, not less than 4 rooms, modern and well furnished, for 2 or 3 months, TEL. RED 7384. 13

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WANTED—TO PURCHASE, NICE TWO story eight room house, south of Pico st. and west of Main st., must be modern, would prefer a new house, purchaser will pay part cash, balance on reasonable time. Address O, box 45 TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED — SECOND HAND CLOTHING shoes, etc.; will pay highest prices. 7199 Red 3041. 13

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Nice cottage, nearly new, just off car line, southwest; lot is 40x140 to alley; street work done, and there is a large barn with cement floor and room for man; all for

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WANTED—WILL BUY HEALTHY YOUNG chickens, any quantity, any time, all varieties except the small breeds, such as Leghorns, etc. ORPINGTON RANCH, 2040 W. Adams st. Home Phone 7048. 14

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WANTED—PAIR HEAVY FARM HORSES and gen. ..ddress Station C, box 244. 14

WANTED—HORSE, LIGHT SPRING WAGon, harness, 1216 MAPLE AVE. 14

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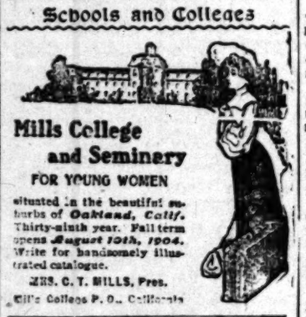

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2.	Lula Briant, 1543 West Twelfth street	77,630
3.	Nat B. Browne, Ventura	75,898
4.	Harry Leftwich, Inglewood	70,089
5.	Hazel Burke, 625 Court street	69,140
6.	Louis Bristol, 1817 West Pico street	63,560
7.	Omar May Burns, Redlands	53,048
8.	E. Halsey Thompson, Pasadena	50,158
9.	Laura E. Seward, Claremont	45,170
10.	Beva Johnson, Pomona	42,237
11.	Elsie Barnesberger, 759 East Twenty-fifth street	41,159
12.	Annie B. Lyon, Long Beach	40,686
13.	Frank Brooks, Santa Barbara	35,473
14.	Georgia A. Pitts, 1225 West Eighth street	34,103
15.	Pauline Scholz, Sawtelle	32,221
16.	Leonora J. Campbell, 1026 Macy street	30,058
17.	Laura Tupman, Hynes	29,630
18.	Mary Grace Houston, Moneta	29,181
19.	Bertha Wilson, Santa Monica	25,698
20.	Charles McCarty, 150 North Alta street	23,473
21.	Edna Miller, 1257 East Forty-seventh street	23,401
22.	Leigh Smith, Long Beach	23,080
23.	Harry Poole, 635 South Hill street	19,578
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38.	Susie Bantam, 1232 South Hill street	6,786
39.	Harry Bunnell, 2005 Magnolia avenue	6,662
40.	Littleton McDuff, 1820 Wall street	3,570
41.	Leola Moore, Whittier	3,515
42.	R. Alva Odell, Santa Monica	2,796
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45.	Hattie Pinkerton, 243 Winston street	2,100
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47.	Mary Broadhead, 1543 West Twenty-first street	1,784
48.	Ross Reel, 3611 San Pedro street	1,781
49.	W. W. G. Hafford, 428 West Second street	1,245
50.	Ethel E. Drew, Riverside	431

BEL SKIDMORE has increased the "nose" by which she led in the scholarship race, yesterday to a good "length" this morning by registering a gain of 3383 points.

Nat Browne, who was only a short "nose" behind the leader, has had his nose put out of joint by Lula Briant, who has moved up to second place with a gain of 2103 points. The last heard of "Nervy Nat" he was gathering scholarship sweets around the Oxnard beet-sugar mill. Probably after he sends in his next report he will resume first place, instead of plodding along as No. 3.

Harry Leftwich, the Inglewood "Wonder," by a gain of 4886 has crowded Hazel Burke out of fourth place. The "Gibson Girl's" gain for the day was 1638, but she is still holding on to the points she has acquired at San Diego.

From fifth to fifteenth place there is no change in the position of any of the contestants, although some of them made material increases in their scores, as follows: Louis Bristol, 573; Halsey Thompson, 232; Laura Seward, 600; Beva Johnson, 756; Elsie Barnesberger, 700; Annie B. Lyon, 1056; Frank Brooks, 725; Georgia Pitts, 166.

Leonora Campbell, whose gain was 637, was obliged to surrender fifteenth place to Pauline Scholz, who registered the handsome gain of 3895 points. Miss Scholz is not heard from very often, but when she does report, she generally makes it count.

Laura Tupman, the "Kentucky Belle," by a gain of 1838, again wrested seventeenth place from Mary Grace Houston, the "Moneta Daisy," whose gain for the day was only 964.

Bertha Wilson, by a gain of 3881 points, moved up three numbers to nineteenth place, over the heads of Leigh Smith, Edna Miller and Charles McCarty. The "Barefoot Boy" also overtook Leigh Smith and Edna Miller.

It was a bad day for the "Vernon Peach," whose picture is presented today. Miss Miller is a little Hoosier girl, who came to Los Angeles several years ago, and recently took up her residence at Vernon, where they raise peaches and other choice fruits, but none choicer than the little "peach" who has become such a favorite in the scholarship contest. Edna is 14 years old, and is desirous of winning a scholarship in the Woodbury Business College. Her father is a Pythian Knight and her mother a Lady Maccabee. Among those who have been aiding her most in her scholarship campaign is Photographer George Steckel, who not only gave her a year's subscription, but took her picture for reproduction in The Times. No one seeing the original will dispute the fact that she does credit to the title of "Vernon Peach."

MISS EDNA MILLER.
[Photo by Steckel.]

"Happy Harry" Poole has been heard from again, after a still hunt of many days. Te has increased his score by 2114 points, but that was not enough to take him above twenty-third place.

Christy Walsh has also come out of his hiding place, with a gain of 676, which takes him ahead of Hubert O'Neil, the Y.M.C.A. candidate, who has now been relegated to thirty-fifth place. What is needed to put life into O'Neil's boom is a good old-fashioned Y.M.C.A. rally.

"Cheerful Bunnie" has come up smiling with 612 points, but the raise is not sufficient to take him above thirty-ninth place.

Littleton McDuff has recaptured fortieth place from Leola Moore. The colored troops, as of old, are fighting nobly, but not winning any very great victories. Lay on, McDuff.

Mary Broadhead has recaptured forty-seventh place from Ross Reel.

No one seems to be able to take fiftieth place from Ethel Drew of Riverside, who has now held the coign of vantage for lo, these many days. She scored a gain of nine points yesterday, which is an average of nearly one coupon per day since Miss Drew was last heard from. Perhaps she has been working under cover all of these weeks, with a view of springing a surprise on the rest of the contestants later on.

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Two new instructors will be added to the faculty. Emile Mazy, a well known miniature painter and decorative artist, will take charge of some of the classes in drawing and painting. Mr. Mazy is a graduate of the Academy Royal of Brussels, and is said to excel in his line of work.

Miss Cora Lida Smith of New York will be placed in charge of the department of art history and will form classes for the study of ancient and modern artists and their work. This is expected to prove a very interesting feature of the coming course and will be of great value to students in their theoretical art work.

Another feature of the term which begins in October will be the junior or children's classes, registrations for which are now being received. These will be held on Saturday afternoons, the lessons being limited to two hours with the smaller children, thus permitting the attendance of public school pupils and avoiding the ill effects of overstudy, besides concentrating the pupils' interest by reducing the hours for study, which will, furthermore, be devoted to such work as will appeal to the juvenile mind. These classes will be held on the lower floor of the building in order that they may not interfere with the work of older pupils.

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Director Malcolm McLeod states that the removal from No. 614 South Hill street to the present location, which many predicted would be too far from the "downtown" district to prove profitable, has caused no decrease in the scholarship roll, but has, on the contrary, swelled the list. He attributes this to the superior advantage offered by the new school.

No less than half a dozen young people have been furnished with scholarships in the Los Angeles School of Art and Design as the result of The Times' scholarship contest. They have all made good art students and have been more than satisfied with the instruction received. The scholarships of this excellent institution awarded in previous contests have provided for only a six months' course. This year there will be awarded at least one of these art scholarships, good for ten months' instruction, the full school year, the cash value of which is $150. This scholarship will enable any student of average ability to complete a practical drawing course and fit him at once to earn something through his art, or prove a firm foundation upon which to build higher studies. Leigh Smith of Long Beach, who has a penchant for pen and ink drawing, is thus far the leading candidate for this valuable scholarship.

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CURIOS AND ODDITIES.

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The Millionaire Machinist.

"In my time," said an old broker, "machinery was abhorrent to men of fashion. Black grease, befouled hands, revolving wheels, and the ugly odor of oil were things unknown in good society.

"Consider the change.

"The motor car, the nahtha launch, the automobile boat and the motor cycle have made machinists of us all. It is as needful for a millionaire today to be wise about spark plugs, oil cups and battery wires as it was needful for him in the past to be wise about cobs, hackneys and high steppers.

"Machinery plays so big a part in the luxuries of modern life that a rich man today is proud of being a good machinist, just as he would have been proud, ten years ago, of being a good fencer or a good horseback rider."

Summer Boarders' Whims.

The appointments of the table were in excellent taste, but an old man, amid all that elegance of white damask and silver and crystal, was eating with a common wooden-handled knife. The old man was the star boarder of a hotel in the White Mountains.

The steel blade of his knife, from years of sharpening, was worn down to a point at the end. The wooden handle was earth-colored, and there were nicks in it here and there. Such knives are to be seen only in kitchens, where they are used to peel potatoes with.

"The old fellow has been coming here for seventeen years," said the landlord, "and he has brought that knife with him each season. Wherever he goes, it is his companion. He tells me he has taken it to Egypt, to India and to Japan. A waiter would get a dreadful call-down from him if at any meal he should forget to put the knife beside his plate. Its use? Oh, its use is only to cut meat with.

"Elderly people at summer hotels," continued the landlord, "are apt to have whims and vagaries like this knife.

"There is a lawyer of sixty who brings here with him in August a coffee cup that is as big as your head. He had the cup made to order at a pottery, and it holds a pint and a half. He uses it always at home, and on his travels he has cheek enough to take it with him. Only with such a cup, he claims, can he get all the coffee he wants. People, seeing it, put him down as a hog. Well, he is a hog as regards coffee, but in other things he is temperate and modest enough.

"A woman brings with her always a special pillow—a pillow like a square pancake, one inch thick, twelve inches long and twelve wide. An old woman now, she says she has used this pillow ever since she was a child.

"An aged dyspeptic brings his flour with him—a special brand of flour out of which his bread must be made.

"A retired admiral brings his bed linen—his sheets, bolster cases and pillow cases. They are of silk, he got them in China, and he claims that without them he can't sleep.

"All kinds of whims," said the landlord with a philosophic smile, "may be observed at summer hotels tha. the aged frequent."

A Lesson from the Sun.

Barbers say that the late summer is the best season for the sale of tonics and the best period for scalp massage and for hair cutting.

They add that the good effects of salt and fresh water bathing men do in July and August come back of this odd fact.

A young man, they explain, begins to get bald. The spot where baldness is worst is not visible to him. His friends tell him he is bald. He look out or he will have no hair left. Finally he thinks they are exaggerating his case. He does not know that he is.

Then comes the first summer. He sees his hair started to fall out as usual, he begins to swim in salt water. He used to bathe in salt water. This in the past, had had no effect on his head, but now, behold, when he goes to comb his wet hair after a bath the bristles of the brush upon which he give him great pain. For he has not enough hair to keep his scalp from getting sunburnt, and with it has gone of the heart, a sense of despair. The fact at last comes home to him that he is really getting bald.

In nine cases out of ten, they say, it is till the sun has in this way burned their unprotected heads that young men realize the seriousness of their hair.

Hence, in the late summer comes the frantic purchase of hair tonics and the frantic resort to singeing and scalp massage that the barbers advise.

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"'I love her,' he sang, and then he went to his heart, 'Don't you slay,' and he drew a dagger and looked to the stars above her,' and he looked heavenward. Indeed, it was a perfect representation. I got from it a satisfactory an idea of the merits of the event as I could have gotten if the actress had visited me.

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"Go to Lynn if you want to see a town," said a Bostonian. "You can't see Lynn, the best wood in the world is nothing.

"The town of Lynn is famous and magnificent shoe factories. These factories, in order to keep their product fashionable and to change their lasts every year. Thus, as soon as a season is over thousands of lasts become useless except for burning.

"The manufacturers might as well, as lasts, but, for some reason or other, they don't do this. They simply throw them away. And the Lynn people appreciate this generosity. At any time it is possible, in their backyards, to see a Lynn man with a load on his face taking home a load of lasts in a cart.

"The lasts make admirable fuel. The good, hard wood is there, and it burns with a great heat for a long time, like coal. The only trouble is their shape. You look, you know, like fools when you see them flaming in a fireplace. It is a stranger a shock at first. Strangers if he has happened to be there, as there is good demand for fuel at the end of a cremation."

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"I sneered at her and offered her, as I sneer at and condemn everybody that talks medicine.

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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.
OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Aug. 13, 1904.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,074,174.47. For the corresponding day of 1903, $956,874.85; same day in 1902, $858,661.90.

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$ .39	$ .39
Central Oil	.45	.46
Imperial	.13	....
Junction Oil	.26	.27
Kern Oil	.04	....
Peerless (Whittier)	....	....
Petroleum Center Oil Co.	1.15	....
Pittsburg Oil	.50	.75
Reed Crude	....	....
Shamrock	.37½	.38
Sovereign Oil & Gas Co.	....	.04
Standard Consolidated	....	.06
Union Oil	1.00	1.00
Victoria Oil	....	....
Western Crude	1.45	....
Western Union	85.00	85.50
Wolverine Oil	....	....
Yellowstone Oil Co.	....	.09½
Zumwalt Oil Co.	....	.02
Associated Oil Co.	304.00	305.00
Central Oil Co.	....	....
Home Oil Co.	....	....
Independent Oil Co.	....	....
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MINING STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Ajax G. & C.	$ .02	.05
Bella C.	.02	.03
Best & Belcher	.07½	.07
Bullion	....	....
Caledonia	11.00	20.00
Challenge Con.	....	....
Con. Imperial	....	....
Crown Point	1.50	2.00
Eclipse	.07	.09½
Exchequer	.07	.10
Gold & Carry	....	....
Hale & Norcross	....	....
Mexican	....	....
Occidental Con.	....	....
Ophir	....	....
Overman	....	....
Potosi	....	....
Savage	....	....
Sierra Nevada	....	....
Silver Hill	....	....
Union Con.	....	....
Utah Con.	....	....
Yellow Jacket	....	....

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$187.50	$190.00
Broadway Bank & Trust Co.	145.00	150.00
Citizens' Bank	190.00	....
City National	161.50	....
Commercial Bank	160.00	....
Farmers & Merchants Bank	195.00	....
First National	215.00	225.00
Los Angeles Trust	312.00	....
Merchants' National	350.00	360.00
Pacific Bank	85.00	90.00
Security Savings Bank & Trust Co.	300.00	....
Southern California Bank	177.00	182.00
Southern Trust Co.	277.00	285.00
State Bank	150.00	....
Union Trust Co.	245.00	....
Wells-Fargo Nevada National Bank	210.00	....
Western Loan & Building Co.	130.00	....

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Los Angeles City 4s	$27.50	$ 74.00
Los Angeles City 5s	....	100.00
Los Angeles City Water Co. 6s	....	100.00
Los Angeles County 3½s	....	98.00
Los Angeles County 4s	....	99.00
Los Angeles County 5s	110.00	116.00
Los Angeles Gas & Electric Co. 5s	....	106.00
Los Angeles Pacific Ry. Co. 5s	....	103.00
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MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Edison Light & Power Co.	....	$171.00
Edison Power Co.	60.00	65.00
Los Angeles Gas & Electric Co.	69.50	72.00
Los Angeles Pacific Co.	30.00	35.00
Los Angeles Ry. Co.	....	45.00
Pacific Electric Ry. Co.	47.75	48.00
Pacific Light & Power Co.	48.00	50.00
Pacific Lighting Co.	103.00	....
Pacific Power Co.	94.00	....
Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co.	....	100.00
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COMMERCIAL.

TRADE MOVEMENT. The railroad eastward on Thursday consisted of oranges and 8 carloads of lemons, making the total to date [illegible].

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AMERICAN SUGAR REFINING. H. O. Havemeyer of the American Sugar Refining Company says:

"The demand for refined sugar is good, and will be good for considerable time, but I do not expect that it will continue good throughout the summer. The outlook for a large fruit crop, which, of course, would mean heavy consumption of sugar for canning purposes. The recent reduction in prices of best sugars has undoubtedly given rise to expectations of an advance in sugar refined later on, as there is good demand at present."

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no small part of the extraordinary and continued ease in money."—[Wall Street Journal.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

At the session of the Produce Exchange on Friday butter and cheese made no change, while eggs, at their last quotation, showed a tendency to lower figures.

Potatoes are arriving in first-rate order and the general opinion is that they are superior to last year's crop.

All vegetables are in fair supply and there has been no change made.

Peaches are in limited supply and the canneries are getting most of them.

Apples are scarce and are fetching high prices for the time of year.

Two hundred boxes of Muscat grapes came in from the north and brought prices ranging from 65 to 75 cents per picking box. Thompson's seedless Malagas and Sultanas are also arriving in fair amounts and are reported plentiful. They are bringing the same money as Muscats.

A carload of Bartlett pears arrived too late for the market. They are reported to be fine quality and are sure to bring high prices. Two carloads of peaches, pears and plums met with a speedy sale, though plums are a shade easier.

Hay dealers report good trade, with fair receipts from the north and local points.

Local packers are quite busy and no change of prices is reported.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Candled, ranch, 22c doz.; eastern, 20c doz.

CHEESE — Cal. Anchor, 12; Cal. Y. A., 13; Cal. hand, 2s, 14; northern, 11@12; cheddars, eastern, 13; Dom. Swiss, 15; Imp. Swiss, 27.

BUTTER—Fancy Valley creamery, 20; fancy Coast creamery, 47½; fancy dairy, 45; choice dairy, 42½; fancy California, 60s, 27½; cooking butter, 22; fancy local creamery, 50; fancy imperial Valley, 25.

BEANS—Pinks, 4.00@4.25; Lady Washington, 3.15@3.40; small white, 2.30@2.45; black eyes, 2.10@2.75; Limas, 4.25; Garbanzos, 4.50; German lentils, 7.00@8.00; American lentils, 4.50@ 5.00 cwt.

DRIED FRUITS—Choice to fancy evaporated apples, 6@7; apricots, 9½@10; choice peaches, 9; fancy peaches, 10; fancy evaporated crop Persian dates, 6; Fards, 60-lb. box, 8½; 10-lb. box, 16; figs, California, white, box, 6s.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.50@3.50; London Layers, 1.60; loose, 6; seed Sultanas, 5½.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shells, 13; soft, 12½; hard, 10@11; Brazils, 13; filberts, 12; peanuts, eastern, raw, 6@6½; roasted, 8½@9; choice raw, 9@9½; California, fancy raw, 9; California roasted, 8½; walnuts, softshell, No. 1, 10½@ 11½; hardshells, —.

HIDES AND TALLOW—Steers, per lb., 10@11c; cows, per lb., 9@10c; bulls, per lb., 8@9c; calf, per lb., 12@13c; kips, per lb., 9@10c; dry hides, per lb., 20@22c; salted, 12@13c; dry calf, per lb., 18@20c; kips, per lb., 12@13c; goat and kid, each, 25@30c; deer, per lb., 8@9c; antelope, each, 25@30c; sheep pelts, each, 25@30c; tallow, per lb., 3@3½c; grease, 2½@3c.

FRUITS AND BERRIES—Lemons, per box, choice to fancy, 1.25@1.50; common, 1.00@1.25; Valencias, 1.00@1.50; bananas, per lb., 3½@4½; strawberries, per box, fancy, 60s, apricots, 40@ 1.00@1.25 box; blackberries, 4½@5; watermelons, local, 50@1.50 dozen; huckleberries, 6½@7c; figs, lb., 20; Spanish, 1.25 box; local cantaloupes, 1.75@2.00 crate; grapes, 75@1.00; peaches, 50@90; plums, 75@1.25; raspberries, 50@; nectarines, 1.00 crate; pears, 1.25@1.50 box; apples, 1.50@ 1.60 box.

HONEY AND BEESWAX—Beeswax, per lb., 25@28; honey, comb, sections, 10@16; ex., white, 5@6; light amber, 4; amber, 3.

POTATOES—White Rose, 2.00; Burbanks, 1.70@1.80; Burbank, choice, 1.45@1.60; common, 90@ 1.00; sweet, —; Salinas, 1.65@2.00; Highland, 1.90@2.00.

HAY — Barley, choice to fancy, 12.00@14.00; oat, choice to fancy, 14.00@15.00; wheat, choice to fancy, 13.00@14.00; local alfalfa, 11.50@12.00; northern alfalfa, 13.00@13.50.

ONIONS — Silverskin, fancy, 2.50 per cwt.; local Danvers, 2.00@2.25; northern Danvers, 2.25; Australian brown, local, 2.25.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, cwt., 50; cabbage, 45 cwt.; carrots, 25 dozen; tomatoes, 40 @45 crate; parsnips, 75 cwt.; radishes, 10@15 dozen; 5 lb.; watercress, 25; string beans, 2@ 3 lb.; turnips, 50@60 cwt.; asparagus, 50@60 per box, 2@3 lb.; onions, 25 doz.; squash, 20 box; green corn, 1.25@1.50 sack; cucumbers, 50; chile peppers, 2@3; lettuce, 10@15 doz.; peas, 5@6; celery, new, 40@50 doz.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition, as follows: Turkeys, over 10@13; ducks, 10@12; turkeys, 14@16; geese, 10@ 12; broilers, 14; fryers, 12. Selling price, per lb., dressed, old roosters, 12; old hens, 16@17; young roosters, 18@20; broilers, per doz., 2.25@3.00; fryers, 18@25 lb.; live turkeys, 25; ducks, 18@20 lb.; geese, 15 lb.

PROVISIONS — Lard, pure, per lb., tierce basis, Silver Leaf, 9¾; Rex, 9¼; White Label, 9¾; Orange Blossom, 9¼; Compound lard, per lb., tierce basis, 7½@8.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14½; Winchester, 13½; Premium, 16½; Gold Band, 16.

DRY SALT PORK — Per lb., bellies, 11½@ 12½; short clears, 11½@12½; clear backs, 11@ 11½.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 16½@18½.

PICKLED PORK—22.75 bbl.

BREAKFAST BACON—Rex, 15½; Winchester, 13½; Empire, 17; Premium, 15½; Diamond "C," 17; 0'er, 13; Gold Band, 20½.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. Bbls. 10c, ¼ bbls. 25c, boxes 50c. 55-lb. sacks, 10c per cwt. higher. Beet, 4.65; cane, 4.15; fruit sugar, 4.85; Ext. C, 4.45; Golden C, 4.35; "D," 5.45; Maxpolla, "A," 4.75; tablets, ¼ bbl., 6.65 tablets, 6.90; cube, 6.40; powdered, 4.85; conf. A, 4.15; boxes, 4.80.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS — Flour, local mills, per bbl., 4.40@4.60; all eastern wheat, 5.25 per bbl.; blended Cal. and eastern, per bbl., 5.00; cornmeal, table 10s, W. or Y., 2.40 per cwt.; Graham flour, bags 10s, 2.50 cwt.; rolled barley, 1.35 per cwt.; cracked corn, 1.80 cwt.; bran, 1.30 per cwt.; feed meal, 1.65 per cwt.; shorts, 1.50 per cwt.; wheat, 1.70 per cwt.; barley, 1.15 cwt.; oats, 1.45 cwt.

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SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—There was a partial halt in the speculative movement today and a considerable shrinkage in the volume of dealings. The news of the day offered no clear explanation regarding the tone of the market. Union Pacific's opening decline of a point was effective notice of this tendency and the drop in Southern Pacific and the fall in Metropolitan Tractions reinforced. Efforts were made to divert speculative interest to new quarters and there was occasional advance here and there of a point or more, but the movement lacked enthusiasm and was not convincing to sentiment. Reading was chosen for a display of a point, notwithstanding reports in circulation that a large curtailment of anthracite production for August was intended and a total suspension of output for a large part of September in contemplation. The strength of Amalgamated Copper resulted in a revival of the repeated rumors of a settlement of the contentions of copper interests. The smelting stocks and the lead stocks moved up a point on an awakened expectation of the merger in lead interests. News from the crop regions was favorable, and some of the unofficial authorities on wheat crops disparaged the excessive alarm over the damage to spring wheat. The wheat market itself reflected an unsettlement of the speculation. Atchison was the only one of the grangers to show a degree of strength, and its rise was attributed more to corn prospects than to wheat. United States Steel preferred was held for only a brief time above last nights level, and showed the effect of the insistent rumors of cuts in the prices of steel products. There was some talk, also, of friction between the corporation and the Amalgamated Association in the hoop mills in Youngstown, O. The Cuban gold shipments will affect the showing by the banks, but money has continued to flow to the center from the interior, and a further gain in cash reserves is looked for in tomorrow's bank statement. An effort was made to rally the late market by marking up Southern Pacific to 55½, but the stock fell back when the Metropolitan Tractions showed renewed weakness, and the closing was dull and easy. Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value $2,480,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—			
Call loans	2@2½%	U. Shoe M. pfd.	39
Time loans	3@4½%	U. S. Steel	11⅝
Bonds—		U. S. Steel pfd.	53¼
Atchison, Adj. 4s	94½	West'house Com.	79
Atchison 4s	99	Mining—	
Mex. Cen. 4s	64	Adventure	80
Railroads—		Allouez	10¾
Atchison	75⅜	Amalgamated	53¾
Atchison pfd	94½	American Zinc	11
Boston & Albany	249	Atlantic	21¼
Boston & Maine	163	Bingham	24¾
Boston Elevated	149	C. & Hecla	475@480
Fitchburg pfd	135	Centennial	24¾
Mexican Central	24½	Copper Range	58⅝
N. Y. N. H. & H.	190	Daly West	22½
Pere Marquette	74	Dominion Coal	69
Union Pacific	97½	Franklin	7
Miscellaneous—		Granby	2⅝
Am. Agr. Chem.	14½	Isle Royale	13¾
Am. Chem. pfd.	75½	Mass. Mining	3¼
Am. Pneu. Tube	3⅜	Michigan	4
Am. Sugar	133	Mont. Coal & C.	3½
Am. Sugar pfd.	131	Old Dominion	19⅝
Am. Tel. & Tel.	137⅝	Parrot	25
Am. Woolen	31¼	Quincy	83
Am. Woolen pfd.	77⅜	Shannon	5⅛
Dom. I. & S.	8⅛	Tamarack	92½
Edison Elec. Illu.	282	Trinity	7⅝
Gen. Electric	163¼	U. S. Mining	22
Mass. Electric	17¾	U. S. Oil	10½
Mass. Elec. pfd.	63½	Utah	28⅝
Mass. Gas	93¾	Victoria	2⅜
United Fruit	100⅝	Winona	1
U. Shoe Mach.	39	Wolverine	79

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Today's treasury statement shows: Available cash balance, $156,435,598; gold, $46,096,187.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing bid.
Atchison	33,400	80¼	79⅝	79⅝
Atchison pfd	2,000	97⅝	97½	97½
Baltimore & Ohio	5,300	86	85	86
B. & O. pfd.	100	94	94	95¼
Canadian Pacific	9,000	127⅝	126⅞	127⅛
Central of New Jersey				225
Chesapeake & Ohio	10,600	35⅞	35⅛	35⅜
Chicago & Alton	1,700	40¾	40¼	40¼
Chicago & Alton pfd.				80½
Chicago & G. W.	500	15	14⅞	14⅞
Chicago & N. W.	500	182	182½	182
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	18,400	149⅝	148⅞	149
C., C., C. & St. L. pfd.				117½
Chicago Ter. & Trans.	200	6¼	6¼	6⅜
Chicago T. & T. pfd.	900	16	15	15⅜
C., C., C. & St. Louis	100	74½	74½	74½
Colorado Southern	1,200	14⅞	14	14¼
Colo. So. 1st pfd.	700	40¾	39¾	40
Colo. So. 2nd pfd.	1,700	21½	20	21
Delaware & Hudson	1,200	161⅝	160½	161⅜
Del., Lack. & Western				270
Denver & Rio Grande	200	22	21⅞	22⅛
D. & R. G. pfd.	400	72½	72	72⅝
Erie	3,000	25⅞	25½	25⅝
Erie 1st pfd.	1,700	44	43¾	43⅞
Erie 2nd pfd.	400	33⅝	33⅜	33⅝
Hocking Valley	400	69	68¾	69
Hocking Valley pfd.	400	81½	80⅝	81½
Illinois Central	1,500	133	134½	134½
Iowa Central	200	20	19¾	19¾
Iowa Central pfd.	100	36¾	36½	37
Kansas City Southern				24¾
K. C. Southern pfd.	200	44¾	43⅝	44¾
Louisville & Nashville	3,200	118½	118¼	118⅝
Manhattan L.	100	151½	151	150⅞
Metropolitan Securities	46,800	93½	92¾	92⅝
Metropolitan St. Ry.	22,400	124½	121⅝	122⅝
Minn. & St. Louis	200	49	49	50
M. St. P. & S. Ste. M.	2,400	75½	74	74¾
Minn., St. Paul pfd.	900	130	128¾	129
Missouri Pacific	8,500	94⅜	94¼	94⅜
Missouri, Kan. & Texas	3,500	27½	26⅞	26⅞
M., K. & T. pfd.	2,100	47⅜	47¼	47⅜
N. & C. Ry. of Mex. pfd.				50½
New York Central	1,300	120¼	119½	119⅝
Norfolk & Western	1,300	67	66¾	66¾
N. & W. pfd.				90
Ontario & Western	4,800	31¼	30⅞	31⅛
Pennsylvania	30,100	121⅜	121¼	121⅜
P., C. C. & St. Louis				98
Reading	32,500	54⅝	53⅝	54⅜
Reading 1st pfd.				84
Reading 2nd pfd.	200	70¾	70¾	71
Rock Island Co.	10,400	24¼	23¾	23⅞
Rock Island Co. pfd.	1,300	67	66¼	66⅜
Rock Island & P. 2nd pfd.	1,900	58⅝	58¼	58⅜
St. Louis & S. F. 2nd pfd.	2,200	34	33½	33⅝
St. L. & S. W. pfd.	1,700	37⅜	37	37¼
Southern Pacific	92,900	55½	54¾	55
Southern Railway	700	26⅞	26½	26⅝
So. Railway pfd.	700	91¾	91¼	91½
Texas & Pacific	2,700	29¾	29¼	29⅜
Toledo, St. L. & W.	300	26	26	25¾
Toledo, St. L. & W. pfd.	1,000	59	58¾	58¾
Union Pacific	31,300	99¼	98¼	98⅜
Union Pacific pfd.	100	85¾	85¾	85¾
Wabash	400	17¾	17¾	17¾
Wabash pfd.	1,000	37¼	37¼	37⅜
Wheeling & Lake Erie.				14½
Wisconsin Central	900	18¼	17⅞	18
Wisconsin Central pfd.	200	39¾	39½	40
Mexican Central	2,300	10	9¾	9¾
Express Companies—				
Adams				225
American				230
United States				205
Wells-Fargo	100	210½	210½	210
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	40,800	84¼	82¾	83¼
Am. Car & Foundry	200	39½	39½	39¾
Am. C. & F. pfd.				79
American Cotton Oil	400	32½	32	32
Am. Cotton Oil pfd.				91½
American Ice				6¾
American Ice pfd.	100	27½	27½	27¾
American Linseed Oil				9
Am. Linseed Oil pfd.				36½
American Locomotive	600	22¾	22	22
Am. Locomotive pfd.	200	88¾	88	88¾
Am. Smelting & Ref.	31,600	60¾	59	60¼
Am. S. & R. pfd.	300	103	102	102
Am. Sugar Refining	6,300	133¾	132¾	133¾
Anaconda Mining Co.	100	73	72	72
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	16,600	53⅞	53	53½
Colorado Fuel & Iron	2,600	37¼	36¾	36¾
Consolidated Gas	200	194	193½	193½
Corn Products	200	12	12	11⅞
Corn Products pfd.				61
Distillers' Securities				32½
General Electric	200	163½	163	163½
International Paper	200	14⅝	14½	14½
Int'l Paper pfd.	800	71¾	71	71¾
International Pump	100	31¼	31¼	31
Int'l Pump pfd.				81
National Lead	11,200	23⅝	22	22⅝
North American	1,800	93	92	92⅜
Pacific Mail	300	29¼	28¾	28¾
People's Gas	2,200	101¼	100	101
Pressed Steel Car	100	33¼	33¼	34
Pressed Steel Car pfd.				97
Pullman Palace Car	200	194	193	193
Republic Steel	100	7¾	7½	7¾
Republic Steel pfd.	300	45	43¾	43¾
Rubber Goods	100	17⅞	17⅝	17⅞
Rubber Goods pfd.				77½
Tenn. Coal & Iron	700	44⅜	43½	43½
United States Leather	1,100	7¼	7⅛	7⅛
U. S. Leather pfd.	600	84¼	83⅝	84
United States Realty				47¼
United States Rubber	200	13½	13¼	13¼
U. S. Rubber pfd.	300	75¼	75¼	74½
United States Steel	2,400	12	11¾	11⅞
U. S. Steel pfd.	10,600	53¾	53¼	53¾
Westinghouse Electric				153½
Western Union	100	89	89	89

Total sales for day.....559,400

*Ex-dividend.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	104½	Man. Con. G. 4s	105⅝
U. S. R. 2s coup.	104½	Mex. Cen. 4s	81
U. S. 3s reg.	105	Mex. 1st Inc.	13½
U. S. 3s coup.	105	M., K. & T. 4s	94¼
U. S. n. 4s reg.	131	M., K. & T. 2nds	68⅝
U. S. n. 4s coup.	131⅝	M., K. & T. 2nds	73½
U. S. old 4s reg.	104½	Mex. Nat'l Ry. 4s	94½
U. S. old 4s coup.	105½	N. Y. C. 3½s	101⅜
Atchison, Gen. 4s	103¾	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	132⅝
Atchison, Adj. 4s	95¾	N. P. 3s	100⅝
Atlantic L. 4s	100	N. P. 4s	107
B. & O. 4s	103⅝	N. P. 3s	72
B. & O. 3½s	95	Oregon S. L. 6s	125⅝
Can. of Ga. 5s	110⅝	Or. Nav. 4s	99⅝
C. of Ga. 1st Inc.	75¾	Or. Short Line 6s	118⅝
C. & O. 4½s	107	Pa. Conv. 3½s	98
C. & A. 5½s	78	Reading Gen. 4s	97
C. R. & Q. D. 4s	96¾	St. L. & I. M. 5s	110⅛
C. & N. W. 7s	135⅜	St. L. & S. F. 4s	83⅝
C., R. I. & P. 4s	72	St. L. & S. F. 2nds	84¾
C., R. I. & P. 5s	93⅜	St. L. & S. F. 4s	83⅝
C. & E. I. 5s	101¾	St. L. & S. W. 1sts	94¾
Chicago Ter. 4s	73¼	St. L. & S. W. 2nds	70¼
Con. Tob. 4s	61	Union Pacific 4s	105⅝
Colo. & So. 4s	83¼	U. P. Conv. 4s	103⅝
D. & R. G. 4s	90½	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	78⅝
Erie prior lien 4s	94⅞	Wabash 1sts	117⅛
Erie Gen. 4s	85⅜	Wabash Deb. B.	80¼
Fort Worth 1sts	102⅝	W. & L. E. 4s	94
Stock. Val. 4½s	104¼	Wis. Cen. 4s	85½
L. & N. Un. 4s	101	Colo. Fuel Con. 5s	104

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Tin was higher in London today, closing at £122. 5s for spot and at £122, 17s 6d for futures. Locally the market showed little change, closing at 26.90@27.05. Copper was higher abroad, closing at £56, 15s for spot and £56 10s, 3d for futures. Locally, a firmer tone was evident. Lake is quoted at 12.62½@12.75; electrolytic 12.50@12.62½; casting at 12.25@12.50. Lead closed unchanged at £11, 16s, 3d in London and 4.20@4.25 in the local market. Spelter was unchanged at 4.85@4.95 here, but was slightly lower in London at £22, 5s. Iron was unchanged locally.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Money on call easy, ¾@1 per cent.; closing bid ¾ per cent. Offered at 1 per cent. Time loans easy and dull; 60 and 90 days, 2 per cent.; six months 2½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.88 3-5 for demand and at 4.85 9-20 for 60 days. Posted rates 4.86@4.85½ and 4.89@ 4.89½. Commercial bills, 4.87¼. Bar silver, 53½. Mexican dollars, 45¾. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

London Silver.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Consols, 88 3-16; silver, 26⅝d.

STATE OF TRADE.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade tomorrow will say that moderate improvement in midsummer means more than equivalent increase at any other season and the better trade reported during the past week is consequently most encouraging. Dispatches from all parts of the country are by no means uniform, in some cases the outlook showing no change, while at a few points there have been setbacks, but on the whole the progress is unmistakable. Two labor controversies are particularly harmful, but others have been settled; the Fall River strike is partially broken, and several threatening difficulties have been averted. Despite some injury to spring wheat, the agricultural prospect is very bright, while higher prices promise to neutralize the effect of such loss in quantity as occurred. The approaching Presidential election is viewed with more equanimity than any other contest of recent years, both in financial and industrial circles. Net earnings of the railways are making favorable comparisons; gross earnings for July are but 4.4 per cent. smaller than in 1903.

Bradstreet's Review.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say that fall trade expands but slowly, conservatism based apparently upon crop disappointments or uncertainties and labor troubles ruling most lines of distribution. Government figures of crop condit

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Syrian Priest Here.

A Syrian priest of the diocese of St. Paul, Rev. Father Drumie, is in the city, and by authority of Bishop Conaty will administer to the spiritual wants of the Syrian Catholics of Los Angeles.

Murphy's Witnesses.

The subject of Francis Murphy at his gospel temperance meeting in Blanchard Hall, at 7:45 Sunday evening, will be "My Witnesses," and the Imperial Guard will be on the witness-stand. The music will be led by J. W. Eccleston and among the soloists will be little Annie Row.

Fatal Fall from Scaffold.

Carl Miller, a laborer, fell from a scaffold around a new building at the corner of Seventh street and Grand avenue yesterday afternoon and sustained concussion of the brain, which resulted in his death at the Receiving Hospital a few hours later. He made a misstep or a board broke.

Hurt in Runaway.

Henry O. Alberson, a teamster employed at Baldwin's ranch, was seriously injured in a runaway yesterday afternoon, when he was thrown from his wagon, sustaining three broken ribs and internal injuries as the wheels passed over him. He was removed to the Receiving Hospital.

Killed Between Cars.

A Mexican grader, named Gregorio Morales, was caught between two cars at Compton yesterday morning and horribly crushed. He succumbed to his injuries a short time afterward. Morales was about 25 years old and was employed by the Southern Pacific. The Coroner will hold an inquest today.

Feast of St. Emygdius.

A solemn high mass will be celebrated at St. Vibiana's Cathedral tomorrow in honor of St. Emygdius, whose intercession for several centuries has been invoked against earthquakes. A sermon will be preached by Rev. William Quinlan. St. Emygdius is the patron saint of the province of San Francisco, which includes this diocese.

Oil Stove Exploded.

Alvina Luna, a Mexican of No. 1519 St. John street, tried to pour oil in a lighted stove yesterday afternoon with the usual consequences. Luna is now at the County Hospital suffering intense pain from his burns. The little house was almost wrecked by the explosion and was only saved from destruction by the prompt work of the fire department.

Illuminating.

Mrs. M. C. McGary of No. 2416 East Eleventh street sent one of her pickaninnies after a can of coal oil last night. He brought back gasoline, which Mrs. McGary poured into a lighted lamp. Its illuminating powers exceeded her expectations. In an instant the whole cottage was in a blaze. Her husband being at a lodge meeting, Mrs. McGary had to get the children out of the house herself. The fire department had to lay 1000 feet of hose to reach the place. By the time the water got there the house was totally destroyed. The house was worth $300 and the furniture $200.

BREVITIES.

Real estate operators: The Times Real Estate Number to be issued August 22 will be designed for distribution among homeseekrs, settlers and tourists. Those desiring advertising space in it should consult the business office at once, as no advertising will be received for it after August 15. The "Liner" rate will be 3 cents per word.

The Times' Home 'phone number has been changed from Exchange 2 to "The Times." Simply ask the operator for "The Times," no prefix or number being necessary.

The San Francisco office of The Times is located in room 10, Chronicle Building. Telephone Red 5392.

Hotel Rosslyn Café serves finest 50c dinners in city, 5 to 8 p.m. Short orders all day.

Dr. Nettie E. Hammond, residence Angelus Hotel; office Braly bldg.

Dr. Stevens removed to 416 Byrne bldg. 'Phone Main and Home 197.

Dr. Babcock, eye, ear, nose, throat, returned. Office Braly building.

Dr. Nettie E. Hammond, residence Angelus Hotel.

Dr. Hagadorn returned. Copp Bldg.

Dr. Utley returned, Bradbury Block.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for the following: Mrs. S. F. Morley, Engelo Senorene, R. R. Heyat, Edwin Curtis, Dwight Whiting, Helen Skelton, E. D. Brown, John H. Welch, S. C. Baker G. E. Latine, F. F. Elsner, Mrs. J. A. Phillips, Mrs. Marie Anderson.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph-Cable office, No. 238 South Spring street for J. Wilson, H. W. Donald and Julius Jonves.

SAN DIEGO.

SUICIDE IN ENSENADA.

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 12.—The steamer St. Denis, arriving from the Lower California coast this morning, brought the news of the suicide at Ensenada yesterday of Mrs. Manuel Mateos, wife of the secretary to Gov. Vega. No cause is assigned for the deed. The suicide was effected by a bullet through the heart. Mr. and Mrs. Mateos came to Ensenada upon the return of Gov. Vega from his last visit to the City of Mexico and had become very popular. The father of Señor Mateos is one of the judges of the Mexican Federal Court, and the family is very prominent throughout the southern republic.

ONYX AND COPPER.

The St. Denis brought from the Lower California coast another shipment of onyx from the recently-opened mines at Santa Catarina. Besides 190 tons of onyx, she brought 130 tons of copper ore for shipment to Tacoma.

The British ship Hartfield, which has been in port for five months, has been ordered to leave early next week for Portland to load.

THE LATEST.

The owner of the Isis Theater tonight wired H. C. Wyatt of Los Angeles that she could not accept his offer for it, but might make a long-term lease.

Folsom Brothers, real estate promoters at Pacific Beach, and who are generally understood to have definite assurances of an electric railroad between Los Angeles and San Diego, today purchased for $20,000 the Jorres wharf near the Spreckels coal bunkers, together with the 100 feet of wharf frontage. The wharf, which was built in boom days, is a partial wreck, but will be restored.

The Civic Federation is behind the circulation of a petition for the amendment of the city charter embracing initiative and referendum and recall provisions, the plan being identical with the one recently adopted in Los Angeles.

CORONADO BEACH.

NEWS OF TENT CITY.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)

TENT CITY (Coronado) Aug. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. May and son, E. C. May, of Pasadena, arrived yesterday for a three weeks' sojourn at Hotel del Coronado. Other Pasadena people who have lately arrived at the hotel are Mrs. Allen R. Dodworth and Mrs. Allen Dodworth of Terrace Drive.

C. H. Kirkpatrick of the Chicago and Northwestern railway left for his home in the East today. Accompanied by Fred La Zone, M. Kessler and Paul Parmalee, he made a very successful ocean fishing trip yesterday, the company returning with 500 pounds of fine meat.

BELL.

GASOLINE BLAZE.

BELL, Aug. 12.—A gasoline stove explosion in the house of J. I. Johnson this morning started a fire which, before it was quenched, did about $400 worth of damage. One of the helpers was nearly overcome by the flames. Milk was used in fighting the fire at the start, the water supply being scarce.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Robert R. Henderson, aged 26, a native of California, and resident of Dale, and Mrs. Nellie S. Hazard, aged 22, a native of Illinois, and resident of Los Angeles.

John S. Slover, aged 25, a native of Michigan, and Marie Griffin, aged 23, a native of Kansas; both residents of Los Angeles

Francisco Lara, aged 24, a native of Mexico, and Camelia Marcus, aged 30, a native of Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

Joseph Bleiman, aged 58, a native of Austria, and resident of Los Angeles, and Jesse Bridges, aged 27, a native of Illinois, and resident of Long Beach.

Claud D. Kelly, aged 28, a native of Michigan, and resident of Los Angeles, and Cammille Jordan, aged 19, a native of California, and resident of Oakland.

Wearing Old Clothes.

"Now, why is this?" said a pretty girl who likes nice things but hasn't money enough to buy as many as she would like. "My gloves are all worn out, so that there are holes in all the finger tips, and I'm positively ashamed to wear them, and I buy a new pair. But when I've got the new pair I keep on wearing the old ones, and I wear them without being ashamed of them at all.

"Now, why is this? Well, I suppose it's on account of the moral support I get from the new gloves that I'm saving up now at home. The people I meet may think, just as they did before, that the old gloves are the best I've got, but I know better. I could wear just as good as anybody, now, if I wanted to, and so I rot right along without worrying, wearing the old.

"And it's just the same about anything else. If you've got good things you're not ashamed to wear old ones.

"I've worn a skirt until it was so shabby that it was a disgrace to appear in the street in it, and then bought a new one and hung it up in the closet and kept on wearing the old one and feeling just as chipper as could be in it; and I've known other girls to do just the same thing.

"If you haven't got the things, you're miserable; but if you have got them, you can wear what you like."—[New York Sun.

DEATH RECORD.

BULLIS—At his late residence, August 10, 1904, Omri J. Bullis, aged 67 years. The funeral cortege will leave the parlors of Bresee Bros. at 1:45, taking a private car corner Main and Sixth at 2 p.m. Cars will leave that place every five minutes. Funeral services will be held at Compton at 2:30. Friends invited.

HOGAN—August 12, John Hogan, aged 82 years. Funeral today at 8:15 a.m. from the undertaking parlors of Cunningham and O'Connor, 456 and 458 S. Main st. Requiem mass at Cathedral at 9:30 a.m. Interment New Calvary.

CANAVAN—At Azusa, Cal., August 10, 1904, Nellie, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Canavan, and sister of Marica, Mattie, Edward and Frank Canavan. Funeral services at Azusa 10:30 Friday morning. Friends invited.

CEPHAS—Paul Hyde, died August 11th. Funeral August 13, at 3:30 p.m., from the parlors of Peck and Chase, 433 South Hill.

SMITH—Francis G., died at Cucamonga, Cal., August 11, formerly of Westminster, Cal., aged 59 years, 4 months. Born in Shelby, Maine. Interment from family residence at 1 o'clock p.m Saturday, August 13, 1904.

Members of Cal. No. 2, N.A.S.E., take notice: The funeral of Brother John T. Chambers will take place at his residence, 1729 Magnolia street, Sunday, August 14, at 2:30 p.m. We will meet at our lodge-room, Turner Hall, at 2 o'clock and attend in a body.
FINANCE COMMITTEE.

W.O.W. Funeral.

All Woodmen are most cordially invited to attend the funeral of Neighbor Richard Morrow late member of Visalia Camp 329, W. O.W., from Pierce Bros. & Co.'s funeral parlors, 810 South Flower st., on Sunday afternoons, at 1 o'clock. Interment at Rosedale. Funeral under the auspices of Eastlake Camp 720 W.O.W. Cars will leave our hall corner Downey and Ave. 22 at 12:30 sharp.
GEO. W. BONNER,
Clerk, Camp 530.

Asylum Los Angeles Commandery.

ASYLUM LOS ANGELES COMMANDERY, NO. 9, K. T.

Sir Knights: You are earnestly requested to appear at our asylum, in full Templar uniform, Sunday afternoon, Aug. 14, 1 o'clock sharp, to act as escort to Anchor Lodge, No. 273, in the funeral ceremonies of our late Frater Sir Omri Bullis.
By order of JOHN A. KINGSLEY,
Commander.
Attest:
W. B. SCARBOROUBH,
Recorder.

Funeral Notice.

To the Members of Commercial Lodge, No. 337, I. O. O. F. You are hereby notified to attend the funeral of our deceased brother, J. F. Chambers, from his late residence, No. 1729 Magnolia avenue, Sunday, August 14, at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Rosedale.
F. W. PECK, N.G.

Card of Thanks.

To the many friends who so kindly extended their sympathies during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, we extend our heart felt thanks and their assistance shall always be cherished as one of the sacred treasures of her memory.
WM. A. OSGOOD, and family.

Los Angeles Transfer Co., 141 W. 5th.
Will check baggage at your residence to any point. Tel. M. 49 or 249. Home 249.

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Funeral directors. Lady undertaker takes charge of all ladies and children. Tel. Main 48. No. 647 South Broadway. JOHN W. EDWARDS, Manager.

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Notice to Beach Visitors.

Every one going to beaches should prevent sunburn by using Mission Olive Cream; use before going on sand and you will never burn. 25c jar, all druggists.

THE present conditions in Cuba will be faithfully described in an article by Frederic J. Haskin, in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday.

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LEFT GIRLS BEHIND THEM.

National Guardsmen Sally Forth to Camp.

New Sensations for Some of the Saddle Horses.

Soldierly Appearance of Men. Latest Sabers.

The sweet sorrow of one trooper parting from his girl was rudely interfered with when the militia set out for Camp Atascadero yesterday.

The order had been given to "fall in." But he could not tear himself away. The eye of the first sergeant was beginning to glower dangerously down the landscape. His comrades tried, in friendliness, to help him break away.

"Ah, come on, Bill," one of them yelled. "Come on; you can write to her."

She glanced disdainfully down the line and turned again to him smiling.

"Well, well, Bill," another trooper called out wearily "Don't start in and say it all over again."

But Bill stayed until he got ready; then he said goodby to her and took his place in the long ranks with offended dignity.

There were squadrons of girls who came to see the militia boys away. They stood around and tried on gauntlets and campaign hats—oh, a girl with good profile in a campaign hat is entrancing—and tried to do saber exercises and contributed to the gayety of the scene generally.

It was a pleasant thing to notice that the girls could go about among the men quite unconsciously and meet only with the most charming courtesy. It speaks great things for the National Guard to be able to say that. Of all the people standing around asking fool questions yesterday there was probably not one who can testify to an uncivil answer.

While the men were marching down to the railroad station, one anxious-looking young wife went dashing into the midst of the ranks to caution her husband with one more wifely admonition she had forgotten. Not one laugh brought her to an embarrassing consciousness of the ridiculous thing she had done.

The militia never made a better military appearance than when it marched away yesterday. But it was better than well drilled; it was well bred.

In the case of the trooper Bill and his girl, both were known personally to the other troopers—privileged raillery.

The troops began moving early yesterday afternoon.

Col. Finley came in from Santa Ana and took charge of things generally.

Early in the afternoon a herd of saddle horses was brought over from Pasadena for the use of Troop D.

Before long the nags, which are accustomed to the feel of a natty "chappy saddle" and two polished willy-boy boots, and a dainty snaffle, were astonished to find themselves under a big McClellan with a big blanket roll at the cantle, a gleaming saber under one stirrup flap and a Krag-Jorgensen under the other, and champing a heavy military curb.

The three famous colored cooks hired by the troop and regularly enlisted in the service, made their début in khaki; also the two Chinks of the Signal Corps.

Charles H. Taylor, one of the troop cooks, was cook for J. Ross Clark and also cook for E. L. Doheney. His chief assistant in the troop, Louis Milligen, was at one time chef for G. G. Green, the Pasadena millionaire hotel owner.

Shortly before 4 o'clock the troop rode away to the Southern Pacific stock yards, where the horses were fed and then driven into three stock cars. Capt. Fredericks detailed a stable guard to watch the horses at every stop to keep them from going down in the cars.

Other cars were provided for the horses of the officers and for baggage.

The infantry and Signal Corps assembled at the Armory at 6:30 and marched away promptly for the Arcade depot.

All the men were in khaki and blue flannel shirts and exuberant spirits.

Maj. Truman Cole was in command of the battalion.

It was the first time that most of the officers had worn the new swords, the old straight sword of the infantry being a thing of the past and sabers like the old artillery saber being the proper arms. The new regulation belts made their first appearance. Unlike the former cartridge belts, they are a succession of little buttoned pockets all the way around. This is to accommodate the cartridge "clips" to be used with the new model Springfield rifles which, in the course of a few years, will take the place of the Krag-Jorgensens through the army and National Guard. They are not suitable, however, for Krag cartridges.

After forming in the Armory, the battalion broke into columns of fours, and, with the Signal Corps leading off and the hospital squad bringing up the rear, swung down the street.

The outside companies did not leave the trains in which they were brought from surrounding towns, but were switched over from the Santa Fé tracks to the Southern Pacific and so were tacked on the special which left in two sections about an hour apart.

They are due in camp at 7 this morning.

Camp woes will be solaced by a gift that came to Troop D just before it started yesterday. C. H. Treat, a former member of the troop, sent every man a pipe and tobacco.

WANTS TO SEE TORRES SHOT.

LOS ANGELES CAPITALIST ON THE WARPATH.

Two of His Employees Were Murdered by a Bloodthirsty Alcalde in Mexico and He Has Taken up the Matter With Washington Authorities.

William V. Lanphar of this city, owner of the Agua Caliente de Baca plantation in the State of Sinaloa, Mex., where Clarence Way and E. Lattimer, two Americans, were foully murdered by emissaries of Hermaloa Torres, Alcalde de Baca, is particularly anxious to see Torres brought to justice for one of the most brutal crimes ever perpetrated upon American subjects in Mexico.

The killing of the two Americans is said to have been cold-blooded and the affair has aroused the entire foreign population throughout that portion of Mexico. The men were in the employ of Mr. Lanphar, who operates the large plantation near Agua Caliente. He placed Way in charge of his properties May 29 last and left Mexico for his home at No. 164 North Daly street, Los Angeles, a week later. He had every confidence in Way and was shocked beyond measure when press dispatches told of the recent murder of his two men.

Torres, who is described as a freebooter, was recently found guilty of the murder and he and the two policemen who executed his order have been condemned to death at El Fuerte. The men were to have been executed last week but influential relatives of Torres have succeeded in securing a temporary stay of execution.

Mr. Lanphar has taken the matter up with the Secretary of State at Washington and practically all of the American colony in Sinaloa are backing up the demands of justice. President Diaz is said to have refused executive clemency to Torres and his two henchmen and though almost superhuman efforts are being made by Torres's influential relatives to save him, swift justice in the shape of bullets will probably be meted out to the three murderers in a few days.

A DIABOLICAL CRIME.

The killing of Way and Lattimer is described as a most atrocious crime. Mr. Lanphar has just received a complete account of the affair from his son-in-law, David Gibson of Agua Caliente de Baca, which has never been given out for publication and which tells the story concisely.

In his letter to Mr. Lanphar, Gibson tells the complete story as follows:

"As you have already been notified by telegraph from Choix, Mr. Way and his cook, Lattimer, also American, were shot Tuesday morning, July 19, by a commission sent to arrest them by Hermolao Torres, Alcalde de Baca.

Monday, July 18, Torres came to Agua Caliente and began drinking. In the afternoon he came inside the fence and talked with Roman Redondo near the sajuan door, and while doing so Mr. Way—who had been upon the plantation or somewhere on horseback—came in and passed out at the big gate without saluting Torres as he passed.

"This made Torres mad. After making some disparaging remarks about Way and Gringoes in general he went back to the store and took more drinks. After a while Way came back and was caring for his horse when Torres came out of the store and began insulting Way about not having saluted him. Way tried to remonstrate in a quiet way and Torres drew a pistol and threatened to shoot him. Way backed off to avoid an altercation, then Torres went away and sent two men to arrest Way, but they did not attempt to carry out the order.

"When Torres returned and found that his order had not been executed he became furious and called them all kinds of names; at the same time saying that he would send men over from Baca the following morning who would execute his orders.

"Next morning when Diego opened the store two men were waiting for Way to come out and when he (Way) appeared they came forward and presented an order to appear at once in Baca. Way put the order in his pocket and told them all right—that he would go over as soon as he got breakfast, but the men would not have it that way—he must go with them immediately and they tried to take him by force.

"He resisted and called for help and out came the cook to see what the fuss was about. Then one of the men, Francisco Castro, shot the cook, Lattimer, down, and immediately turned and fired two shots at Mr. Way. Way died instantly and Lattimer died within an hour.

"The two men sent by Torres walked off coolly leaving their victims near the sajuan door. Diego sent a messenger to Tomas and Miguel in Choix and the Prefect in Fuerte was notified. The Judge of First Instance came up from Fuerte, arriving here Wednesday morning.

"At the trial all of the evidence went to show that Way and his cook were shot by instructions of Torres without any grounds whatever. Torres and his two men were securely bound with ropes and marched off on foot to Fuerte."

A BLOODY RECORD.

Torres is said to have committed many wanton murders in Mexico and though his connections were high, he is said to have been a blood-thirsty wretch, shooting down all who dared to question his acts.

In discussing the case yesterday, Mr. Lanphar said that Way was an exemplary man who stood high in the estimation of Agua Caliente people. He was a thirty-second degree Mason and his brethren have rigorously taken up the prosecution of his slayers. President Diaz made an investigation of the affair and ordered full justice.

"I cannot see how the sentence of death can fail of execution," said Mr. Lanphar yesterday. "It was an unprovoked murder and nothing can save Torres and his two policemen."

A JOINT FAIR.

Plans have been made for a joint fair to be held the last week in October in Turner's Hall for the benefit of St. Patrick's parish of this city and the Church of the Blessed Sacrament at Hollywood.

SURPRISE PARTY FOR HER UNCLE AND AUNT.

ALL Whittier was startled yesterday by the sudden and romantic marriage of George H. Barry and Harriet M. Woods, two prominent society people of the younger (much younger) set, who are coming to Los Angeles to live.

It was not an elopement and everybody is pleased—that is, all but one. With the aid of Rev. W. A. Betts, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Glasby, who have been the guardians of Miss Wood ever since she became an orphan early in life, were invited to go to the chapel "for a few moments," together with a few intimate friends.

Nobody knew why; nobody suspected.

It was a complete surprise and when at the proper time the sweet, blushing bride turned to her foster mother and said, "Now you must give me away," the astonished Mrs. Glasby stepped up to the altar and did it.

A few moments later the happy couple were off for Catalina on the honeymoon, leaving a disappointed suitor and much pleasant gossip behind.

Mr. and Mrs. Glasby came to Whittier from Cleveland, O., a year ago last July, bringing a charming young girl, who at once became a social favorite. It is said that her hand was earnestly sought by more than one of the swains of Whittier and that on Thursday night one of the suitors proposed to her. He learned his answer the following afternoon.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE H. BARRY.

George Barry has been for some time connected with the Leopold Furniture Company of Cleveland, one of the largest furniture houses in the United States. One month ago he came quietly to Los Angeles to win a promise from the girl who had been his schoolmate. He has but just crossed the age of majority and so young and quiet was he that he had not been picked as the winner. The bride is said to be but 18 years old, and the suddent event, taken together with the youth of the parties, made a sensation.

Stirring Scenes Attending the Departure of the National Guard for Camp Atascadero.

BAPTISTS AT SEASHORE.

Preparing for the Fifth Annual Session of Their Long Beach Assembly.

The details of the programme of the Long Beach Baptist Assembly, which is to be held in that seaside city for eight days, commencing on the 21st inst., have nearly been arranged.

The boys' and girls' work will be conducted by Mrs. C. A. Baskerville, who has returned from the international Sunday-school convention in the city of Jerusalem. She will be assisted by Mrs. L. W. Dickeson, who will have charge of the younger children.

An hour daily is to be devoted to the teachers' training classes. Among those who will speak are D. P. Ward of Pasadena, Rev Dr. W. F. Harper of Redlands and W. C. Held.

From 11 to 12 a.m., lectures will be given upon subjects of general interest. The lecturers for this hour are Rev. Hugh K. Walker, D.D., of Los Angeles; Rev. A. S. Phelps of Ontario, Rev. L. A. Gould of Ocean Park, Rev. C. C. Willett, D.D., and Rev. W. H. Walker, Jr., of Los Angeles. The evenings are to be given to popular lectures and entertainments. On Monday evening, August 22, there will be a young people's rally of the societies of Southern California. A special train will leave Los Angeles for this meeting. Rev. R. Russell Greaves will be speaker of the evening.

The lecturers and concerts for Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings are under the management of the Blanchard-Venter Company of Los Angeles. For these evenings the speakers have not all been secured as yet. The committee hopes to announce the following: Rev. A. C. Dixon, D.D., of Boston; Rev. Roland D. Grant, D.D., Rev. Robert McIntyre, D.D., of Los Angeles; Arthur Farwell of Boston, lecturer on Indian music, and Rev. W. F. Taylor, D.D., of Riverside, who will lecture on the "Russian-Japanese War."

The preachers for the Sunday sermons are to be Rev. S. Hartwell Pratt of New York City; Rev. Edith Hill-Booker of Los Angeles, Rev. Robert J. Burdette of Los Angeles, and Rev. Joseph Smale of Los Angeles.

On Saturday evening a concert will be given.

LOTTIE AND "GHOSTS."

Admirers of Miss Lottie Kendall have kept the telephone of the Casino Theater buzzing since it was announced that she is to appear at the Burbank in "Ghosts" next Thursday. They have feared they might lose Lottie in the comic opera roles which she adorns. But, nay, nay! The vivacious Kendall will appear only once in the spectral arena. Ever thereafter and thereunto will she frolic in the Casino boards—so mote it be.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Board of Public Works yesterday ordered that the additions which have been made to the pavilion at the head of "Angels' Flight" be taken down and told Col. Eddy that he must conform to the terms of his franchise.

The Oil Committee will probably ask the Council to readvertise for bids for furnishing the city with oil for streets.

The Bridge Committee reports that the work on the three bridges in process of construction is progressing satisfactorily.

An odd suit was determined yesterday by Justice Young, wherein a grocery man named Neal gave credit to people on the supposition that they were married, and yesterday discovered for the first time that they were not.

"Bull" White received sentence yesterday—the same old sentence—twenty-five years in San Quentin.

H. T. Jones-Bateman, the very much-married Englishman, was acquitted of the bigamy charge yesterday in Judge Smith's court.

The members of the "Coyote Gang," who were arrested for disturbing a meeting on one of their freebooter expeditions, were yesterday discharged, the evidence appearing insufficient to Justice Austin.

PUBLIC ADVERTISING—NEW TODAY.

(1.) Notice inviting bids for construction of fences along outfall sewer. This advertisement will be found on page 6, Part II.

AT THE CITY HALL.

MUST CONFORM TO FRANCHISE.

"ANGELS' FLIGHT" ADDITIONS MUST COME DOWN.

Board of Public Works Decrees that no Business Enterprise Except the Railroad Shall Henceforth be Operated on Any Part of the Third-street Incline.

The Angels' Flight pavilion will be no more.

The Board of Public Works yesterday ordered that all buildings except the little covered station and the observatory be removed.

The action was the result of petitions filed by property owners who claimed that the addition now in process of construction obstructs their view.

A large number of people interested in the removal of the buildings appeared before the board.

Col. Eddy and M. G. Jones, who holds a lease for the ground from the colonel, and Jones's attorney, Thomas Thornton, presented their side of the case.

Councilman Nofziger read extracts from the franchise granting Col. Eddy permission to build an incline railway over the portion of Third street between Hill and Olive streets. The franchise grants no permission to erect any buildings on the street.

Col. Eddy said that permission for the station and the tower were secured at another time and that the plans for these structures had been submitted to the City Engineer and approved by him.

Col. Thornton, speaking for Jones, said that for some time Jones had had a lease from Col. Eddy for a portion of the building in which he conducted a little candy and refreshment store.

Recently Jones had secured a lease for an additional fifteen feet, and it was upon this that the addition to the pavilion was being constructed.

Later it developed that this is not the first time that the building has been enlarged for commercial purposes.

Thornton brought with him a long petition from residents asking that the building be not disturbed.

He promised that his client would make the place as attractive as possible and that no labor nor expense would be spared to make it satisfactory to the people if the board would grant him permission to complete the building.

Charles S. Mains, in behalf of the people who object to the buildings, then addressed the board.

He maintained that the proprietors of the "Flight" had no right there, and that it was the understanding at the time the franchise was granted no buildings should ever be erected to obstruct the view of the people in the neighborhood.

He stated that he was one of the signers of the petition through which the privilege was granted to Col. Eddy and that he was given to understand that whatever buildings it should become necessary to build there, for the convenience of the public, would be used solely for rest and not for business.

He also urged that it was not right to use a public street for private business enterprises.

Councilman McAleer then moved that Col Eddy be informed that the street can be used only for such purposes as are expressly set forth in the franchise granted him by the city for the operation of his incline, excepting, however, the right to continue the station and the observatory against which there has never been any objection and which privilege was accorded him at another time by city authorities.

This will mean that all the additions which have been put up for purely commercial purposes must be removed from the premises.

He will be given thirty days to do this work and thenceforth the Council will tolerate no business enterprises in connection with the franchise rights.

A number of people appeared before the board to protest against the assessment as made for the opening of Cinnabar street. This is a new street between Second, Third, Hope and Flower streets. Some of the owners of land in the district think they have more to pay than they should and tried to demonstrate this fact to the board.

The matter was taken under advisement.

OIL BIDS.

NOT SATISFACTORY.

Inasmuch as the bids submitted for furnishing the city with 75,000 barrels of oil for use on its streets are unsatisfactory both to the committee and the bidders, it is probable that the Oil Committee will request the Council to readvertise for bids. There seemed to be considerable confusion among the bidders as to just what the committee wanted, and consequently they declare that their proposals are not what they would have been, had they known more definitely just what would be demanded by the city.

Yesterday many operators were present and the whole subject was reviewed thoroughly.

The Oil Committee realizes that the award of this contract means much to the city not only in the amount of money to be expended (about $50,000,) but to the future road-building methods of the city.

Believing that to make a mistake now would seriously jeopardize the sprinkling of the city streets with oil for years to come, the committee feels that too much care cannot be exercised in deciding upon the contract.

Oil Inspector Charles A. Blackmar sent a communication to the committee recommending that an ordinance be passed regulating the manner of making tests for the oil to be used on the streets, which is as follows:

"First—That oil shall be received at a temperature of not less than 170 deg. Fahr or above 190 deg.

"Second—That the gasoline test shall be used to determine the amount of water and sediment, said test to consist of equal parts of oil and 68 gravity gasoline, and left to stand fifteen hours, when reading shall be taken and percentage of water and sediment determined.

"Third—That all gravities of oil shall be determined by the use of Tagliabeau's scale for addition and deduction below or above normal temperature.

"Fourth—That the grade of asphaltum shall be soft D, the evaporation method to be used in determining this result and the percentage of the same to be computed by weight."

Before taking definite action on the recommendation the committee will consult with the City Attorney.

Bridges Inspected.

The Bridge Committee of the Council yesterday made a tour of inspection of the bridges now in process of construction.

Three bridges are now in various stages of completion and the contract has just been let for a fourth, the Alisso-street bridge.

The committee found that the Pasadena-avenue bridge, which crosses the Arroyo Seco will be completed in about a month. The Macy-street bridge, which crosses the Los Angeles River on this street, will be ready for travel October 20, and the bridge to cross the river at Fourth street is now getting well under way.

In every case the work is entirely satisfactory to the committee.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

HOW FAR MAY ONE ASSUME?

GROCER LOSES BY JUMPING AT CONCLUSION.

Finds Appearances at a Home Deceptive, and Man He Sues Not Paterfamilias, but Only a Boarder, While Landlady in Case Remains in Obscurity.

How far is a tradesman justified in assuming as to the status of his customers? This question was before Justice Young yesterday.

C. A. Neal, grocer, jumped to a very innocent conclusion regarding certain customers, and has lost $16.75 by it.

Parties moved into a vacant house on Avenue 30, on the East Side, and the delivery man for the grocery went to pay his compliments to the newcomers and solicit their trade. He got it.

There was a man, woman and little child, and the neighborhood jumped to the conclusion that it was a young married couple with a baby that had come among them. Neal sized up the situation the same way and went on selling them goods. As time went on, though bills were paid, it became noticeable that the newcomers were falling behind; not to any great extent, but instead of settling bills in full, they paid merely so much on account. Finally Neal discovered that this particular family owed him $16.75 for groceries, and he couldn't collect it. He was determined to have it and began the suit that came to trial yesterday. Then all the fat was in the fire.

The action was brought against A. H. Heimer, and he went on the witness stand and swore that he is indebted to the grocery man for nothing; that it is true he lived in the same cottage with a lady and a little child, but he was merely a boarder and paid at the rate of $12 a week for his accommodation. His landlady, he said, was Miss Pearl Moore, and the child was his, he having been separated from his wife three years ago.

The grocery man, to his chagrin, found there was no way to negative what Heimer stated. The woman rented the house, and after that the two lived such a retired life that it couldn't be shown that they had passed themselves off as husband and wife.

Justice Young gave judgment for the defendant, Heimer.

BATEMAN GOES FREE.

BUNCHED HIS WIVES.

H. Thomas Jones-Bateman was yesterday turned loose on the bigamy charge. There was no dispute that he drove his wives tandem—indeed, the facts were stipulated by Bateman's attorneys, but the jury returned a verdict of acquittal under instruction from the court.

As it happened, fortune favored the much-married man. He has escaped the meshes of the law because one of his wives sought to save herself from notoriety, and failed to tell her story complete.

When Bateman was first in trouble on the charge of having married Miss Quin while Miss Florence Bird was still alive and undivorced, the law officers looked to Miss Bird to furnish them with the facts upon which a prosecution for bigamy would lie. And she did tell them that Bateman had married her, failing to say that he had a prior wife living at that time in Canada, from whom he had not been divorced. She was willing to have Bateman cinched for having dared to play her false and marry Miss Quin, but refrained from voluntarily placing herself in exactly the same position as Miss Quin.

The information filed against Bateman charged him with having married Miss Quin while he was at that time "the husband" of Florence Bird. At the trial Bateman's lawyers won easily, for it became apparent that Bateman never had been the "husband" of any one save his true wife who lives in Canada.

The next information filed against the offender charged that he had committed bigamy in marrying Miss Quin, he then being the husband of his Canadian wife. That charge was properly made out, but unfortunately for the prosecution, a man cannot be tried for the same offense twice, and Bateman raised the plea of twice in jeopardy. Yesterday the facts were stipulated by Adams & Rupp, attorneys for Bateman, and then the case hung merely on the legal point involved. The District Attorney tried to show that because the name of the first wife of Bateman had been changed it made the offense a different one, but there was no getting away from the fact that it was with Miss Quin and she only that the defendant was charged with having committed bigamy.

The retirement of the jury was merely formal, the court having instructed them to acquit.

Now that Bateman is once again at liberty it is stated that his family intends to have him cared for in a sanitarium. It is contended that he is afflicted with a mania for marrying, and talks about his escapades without reticence, and without an atom of shamefacedness. But his family is in England and Bateman may have something to say for himself when it is proposed to box him up.

THE BROTHERS AT OUTS.

SENTOUS FIRM DISSOLVES.

For many a long year the brothers, Vicente and Exupere Sentous have been well known in the city and county. They have had their cattle ranging over a hundred hills, maintained their own slaughter-house and their own butcher store, and have always been regarded as prosperous.

But the brothers have had a falling out, and the partnership is to be dissolved. Yesterday Vicente Sentous filed a petition in court asking that a receiver be appointed to take care of the business interests of the firm, that an accounting be had, and that he and his brother be released from the partnership bond that had become so burdensome.

Vicente Sentous took care of the store on North Los Angeles street, while his brother looked after the cattle and sheep buying, the pasture lands and the slaughter-house. Recently it is claimed that he came butting into the store and attempted to run that also—that he countermanded the orders of his brother, made the employés fly around, and on occasions made Vicente himself jump.

The stock of sheep, solvent credits, stock and fixtures, etc., is set out to be worth about $8796, and against this there is an indebtedness of about $7500.

HAD TWO WIVES.

MRS. HUFFMAN'S ALIMONY.

The divorce suit of Mrs. Emma L. Huffman against Edward L. Huffman came up before Judge Wilbur yesterday, the wife claiming alimony.

But a curious twist was given to the action by the husband filing an answer and cross complaint, in which he asked, not for a divorce, but to have his marriage annulled.

The facts have previously been published. Mrs. Huffman married, thinking that she was divorced from her first husband. She thought wrong, for he was still alive and it was some time after her marriage to Huffman that she was legally released from her first mate. Huffman takes the stand that he never was married to Mrs. Huffman, and consequently he has refused to pay alimony.

The attorneys argued over the matter for about two hours, and then the court decided that under the law of this State no order for alimony could be made, the very marriage upon which the order is predicated being itself the main issue in the case.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S REPORT.

BIENNIAL FILED.

Dist.-Atty. Fredericks has forwarded to the Attorney-General of the State his biennial report for the two years ending June 30, 1904, from which considerable interesting information regarding the crimes committed in the county is to be gleaned, with the disposition made of the cases as they came into court. The following comparative table gives the statistics of crime during the two years referred to, as well as for the prior term of two years, ending June 30, 1902:

CASES FOR TWO YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1904.	No. of felonies prosecuted.	Dismissed.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Sent State's Prison.	Other Punishments.
Murder	13	....	3	9	6	1
Manslaughter	11	....	1	10	10	....
Other Felonies	377	100	287	264	254	10
Totals	334	100	271	275	270	10
CASES FOR TWO YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1902.						
Murder	15	....	8	6	6	....
Manslaughter	11	....	1	10	10	....
Other Felonies	412	98	56	258	171	25
Totals	434	98	63	218	177	25
Increase	100	2	*28	183	93	65

*Loss.

It is to be noted from the above tabulation that during the past two years there have been 100 more felonies prosecuted in the Superior Court than during the preceding two years. This is an increase of 22 per cent., and when taken even in relation to the gain in population it indicates a decided increase in the more serious forms of criminality.

With the same number of cases there were two more dismissals, but it is apparent that the juries have either more inclined to accept the responsibility of their position, or else were of a stony hearted variety, for there were twenty-eight fewer acquittals, and 163 more convictions of defendants.

Apropos of this data it is not without interest to know that at San Francisco, with three departments of the Superior Court devoted exclusively to criminal cases, there were fifteen fewer defendants committed to the State's prison last year than were committed from Los Angeles county, with only one department of the Superior Court devoted to criminal cases.

During the past month criminal cases have been set three months ahead.

The congestion in this department is as great as in the others where civil cases have been set far into the new year. The District Attorney says in his report that if the congestion continues—and there is little reason to suppose that there will be any startling diminution of crime—it will be absolutely impossible to try all the cases within the time specified by law, unless another department is added to deal exclusively with criminal cases. Of course the supposition that one of the existing departments can be turned into a criminal court is futile. Every department of the court is blocked with business; in civil cases the delays incident to this congestion amounts in some cases to a denial of justice.

"BULL" WHITE'S DOOM.

AGAIN GETS SENTENCE.

"I have been found guilty, but I'm an innocent man. I'm innocent of this crime," and as he uttered the words in a scarcely audible voice "Bull" White faced Judge Trask to accept sentence.

He had been asked if any "legal" reason existed why sentence should not be passed, and he replied merely by again asserting his innocence.

"Well, if that's so," said the court, "you are a most unfortunate man. You had as fair a trial as could be given you. You had an able defense, and your counsel impressed me with his belief in your innocence.

"But two juries have rendered a verdict and it is not for the trial judge to interfere. You may not be guilty. I will say that I can't tell whether you are guilty, but can only say as the old Roman judges said, 'You appear to be guilty.' I feel very sorry for you, but if you are innocent it will be demonstrated."

Judge Trask then sentenced White to the State's prison at San Quentin for twenty-five years.

The courtroom was crowded with attorneys and others, and all eyes were focused upon the defendant to see how he would take his sentence. Outwardly he was calm, but he indicated his nervousness by drumming on the arm of his chair with his fingers, and his lips that he kept firmly compressed. Close behind him sat one of his sisters, the other three not being present. This, the eldest of the quartette, has stuck by her brother from the first, and as sentence was passed she wept probably with far more sincerity than when her brother was on trial, for it was done silently and without any appeal to outside sympathy.

Prior to the sentence, however, Judge Trask denied the motion for a new trial in a long written opinion which he read from the bench. All kinds of legal kinks and technicalities had been introduced, and these were dealt with separately by the court. But the motion was denied. Immediately after sentence had been passed Attorney H. H. Appel filed notice of appeal and asked for a certificate of probable cause. This was, of course, granted, and White will now sit down to wait for another two years before the Supreme Court can pass upon his case. Not infrequently when a defendant is sentenced upon retrial the time passed in jail is deducted from the term of the previous sentence, but Judge Trask did not follow that idea out at all. On the first trial White got twenty-five years, and on the second trial the term was not diminished. No encouragement to split hairs in appealing to the Supreme Court is extended by this plan.

The crime charged against White was robbery from the person of Mrs. Kate Dripps at the foot of the Downey-avenue bridge, on the night of June 18, 1902. The circumstances surrounding the case were of such a brutal and revolting character that from first to last little sympathy has been extended to the defendant. True, from the first to last he has maintained his innocence, but he had everything to gain by so doing and nothing to lose. Acknowledgment of his offense would merely have compelled him to accept his sentence as a righteous retribution, but by taking the opposite course he has, at least, imposed his theory of innocence upon a very few people who have been and can be of some service to him.

ATTORNEY'S MISTAKE.

WARM SENTENCE PASSED.

J. F. Seymour, Jr., has been acting as attorney for Henry Weinschenger, who was convicted of forgery last week by a jury in Judge Smith's court. Counsel is one of the bright young legal lights that have begun to illumine the jog-trot of legal routine recently, and he worked hard for his client. But yesterday he made a mistake which left his client in sore trouble.

The attorney would not for a moment imagine that he was doing his full duty to his client if he let him go straight to State's prison, without making a motion for a new trial. As one basis for his application Seymour made an affidavit in which he set forth that a certain paper marked during the trial merely for identification had been introduced into the jury room, and had influenced the jury in arriving at its verdict.

This was a hot shot into the camp of the prosecution, but Deputy District Attorney Fleming rallied and came back at opposing counsel with a counter affidavit. In it he set forth that at the time that the jury in the Weinschenker case was about to retire and the court bailiff was being sworn to take the jury in charge, Mr. Seymour picked up the paper referred to and instructed the bailiff to take it into the jury room. Affiant (Fleming) interposed, however, and took the paper from the hands of Seymour and handed it over to the court clerk for safe keeping.

Further to substantiate his side in the matter Fleming obtained an affidavit signed by eight of the twelve jurors who served on the Weinschenker trial, all of whom happened to be in the Courthouse as term trial jurors and in this affidavit it was set forth that no papers whatsoever had been passed into the jury room save the instructions of the court.

In these circumstances Deputy District Attorney Fleming went for Seymour in his affidavit and charged him with deliberate falsification. The motion for a new trial was overruled, and Judge Smith sentenced Weinschenker to seven years in the State prison at San Quentin.

The defendant had twenty-one charges of forgery against him, of sums ranging from $14 to $21.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

CHARLOTTE'S ESTATE. Proper showing was made before Judge Wilbur yesterday that C. Hension, the man who killed Charlotte McKenzie near El Monte, through jealousy, is serving a life sentence at San Quentin. That makes him dead to the world, and the account in the estate of the murdered woman was settled and distribution ordered. There is very little property, and it was left by the deceased to her daughter.

EVERYTHING HIS WAY. When Theodore C. Grates died he believed that his wish that he be cremated would be faithfully observed, but it wasn't. There were wranglings over possession of the dead body. One faction of the family wanted to give the body Christian burial, and the other directed that it be cremated in strict accordance with the wishes of the deceased. The father, who lives at Chaska, Minn., settled the matter finally, and cast his vote with those who wanted to bury the body, and it was so ordered. The Public Administrator had his final account settled yesterday, and Judge Wilbur made the order for distribution. There was $1616.62 in the estate, and after paying all expenses there is now $937 ready to be paid to the father.

LAUNDRY COMPANY. The Driver's Independent Laundry Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $25,000, of which $40 has been subscribed. The directors are J. M. Lancaster, J. E. Reid, T. Creighton, H. T. Morrow and T. L. Neal, all of Los Angeles.

NEW LIQUOR COMPANY. The Bernhard & Geyer Liquor Co. has incorporated with a capital stock of $5,000, of which $12,320 has been subscribed. The directors are J. Bernhard, A. Geyer, L. P. Tappeiner, E. L. Porter and R. Greenfield, all of Los Angeles.

MOORE DIVORCE. The divorce proceeding of Mrs. Alice Moore, against J. Moore occupied Judge Trask all of yesterday afternoon, and will probably be concluded today. The witnesses for the plaintiff continued one after the other telling stories about the husband and his drinking habits, as well as his brutal behavior toward his wife.

NEW HOTEL COMPANY. The Westmore Hotel Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $33,000, fully subscribed. The directors are G. R. Crow, H. S. Williams, D. S. Larimer, J. C. Bortle and F. L. Forrester, all of Los Angeles.

MINES AND METALS. The Modern Mining and Metal Extraction Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $200,000, fully subscribed. The directors are H. P. McIntosh, W. R. Wilson, Anna M. Wilson, M. J. Hill and M. C. Hester.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

LIVES TO FIGHT ANOTHER DAY.

SAD "COYOTE GANG" ESCAPES PUNISHMENT.

Worse Things Looked for from Sonoratown Section—George Silver Fined for Choking a Woman in Quarrel About Rent—Ben Smith Cleared from Like Charge.

Much disappointment was manifested among the police as well as the complaining witnesses over the discharge of the nine members of the notorious "Coyote Gang" yesterday.

These tough half-grown boys, who are the terror of the "Sonoratown" neighborhood, were charged with disturbing a Spanish-American political meeting at Ord and Buena Vista streets, and four of them, headed by a youth named Foster, who has been before the Police Court several times, were tried before Justice Austin yesterday morning. The prosecuting attorney felt that he had made a good case against the boys, but they were discharged without penalty.

In the afternoon the trial of five more of the gang was on the calendar, but Deputy District Attorney Rose moved a dismissal.

"Your Honor," said Mr. Rose, "I think this case might just as well be dismissed, as the evidence is practically the same as that presented in the trial of the other case this morning."

"It might present itself to the court from a different view," responded Justice Austin.

"Well, the evidence is just the same and there is no use wasting the time; I move the case be dismissed," rejoined Rose, and that course was taken.

At the Police Station a few days ago a resident of the Coyote-infected district stated that even private gatherings are not exempt from the rascals' depredations, and he was rejoicing in anticipation of their being taught a serious lesson before they commit murder or themselves fall before an outraged citizen's bullet.

Choked a Woman.

George Silver, in charge of Burbank Hall, was fined $10 in the Police Court yesterday on a charge of battery preferred by Mrs. A. Nast. There had been a dispute concerning rent and three witnesses testified that Silver had taken Mrs. Nast by the throat and attempted to eject her from the building, and she brought a charge of battery against him growing out of this circumstance.

Court Brevities.

Maria Ruiz, a fine-looking señorita, was fined $10 for slapping the face of an ugly peon who wanted to be too familiar with her. But for her record of being a dissolute woman she would probably have escaped punishment. The peon was given twenty days for his part in the disturbance.

Manuel Nevanez was sentenced to sixty days on the chain gang for the part he took in beating up another peon.

Ben P. Smith, who was charged with kicking and threatening to whip a woman named Mrs. Knight, was discharged, as the evidence on the two sides was a square stand-off.

LOCAL RAILROAD RECORD.

TRAINS COME SAFE TO PORT.

RAILROADS RECOVERING FROM THE ARIZONA DISASTERS.

Remarkable Success of the Santa Fe in Handling Freight During the Congestion—Large Quantities of Fresh Fruit Repacked on the Desert.

Remarkable efficiency in the operating department of the Santa Fé has bridged the difficulties caused by the big washouts in Arizona, and both passenger and freight trains are once more running on schedule time.

"The work of the traffic department in handling the freight which was tied up at Needles was the best ever known in this company," said the manager's clerk, John R. Hitchcock yesterday. "For five days not a car of freight was handled over the Crozier Cañon break and as we are hauling an average of eighteen cars a day of green fruit out of Northern California, with lemons and oranges from the southern end of the State, the freight managers were in a tight place. But I can say positively that not a pound of fruit was damaged in any way and the loads are now all safely on their way to the eastern markets. The blockade of freight occured at Needles where the big 150,000-pound ice plant of Dan Murphy, who supplies us on contract, is located. The cars were packed and repacked, with the result that the perishable stuff went through in even better shape than it would had there been no delay."

Assistant-General Freight Agent W. G. Barnwell smiled with satisfaction when asked about how the blockade was handled. "Under our red-ball system we are able to tell in a moment just where any car of freight either east or west bound is located and the whole business of handling that big bunch of perishable cars of fruits was done over the wire from the upstairs office," he said. "The Santa Fé now has 2000 refrigerator cars equipped with the Bohn siphon system of refrigeration. If ever that system had a test it was during the last week or two out on the hot desert where the cars were tied up for five days. Not a car was in any way affected and just as soon as the line was opened again the long trains of freight were shot through to the eastern markets on expedited service. Only one day did we send perishable freight east over the Southern Pacific by way of Deming.

The working of those Bohn refrigerators is very interesting. When packed with ice in the ice chambers at both ends of the car, the big freight box is sealed up tightly so that no air can come from the outside. Under the siphon system, the cold air forces the hot air down to the floor of the car and back into the ice chambers where it is cooled and purified by passing up over the ice. It is a fact that the current thus created is so strong that a match will be blown out immediately. It is the intention of the company to equip all of its refrigerator cars with this system and by next orange season we will have 5000 cars of this kind ready for service."

The work of rebuilding the washed out places of the surface road is completed and the large construction gang has been called in again. About fifty men are busy putting in temporary trestle bridges in Crozier Cañon. These will be replaced by steel bridges in about four or five months, the work being delayed because of the necessity of drawing plans and procuring the material. While it is still raining in Arizona, the storm is moving eastward, the last fall being beyond Ashfork, where a cloudburst took place early yesterday morning, and it is thought that the railroad will not experience an further trouble. Travel is not endangered or handicapped in any way and there has been no falling off in the heavy excursion business to St. Louis.

CHAT OF ART AND ARTISTS.

It is Ruskin who says, "You have always to find your artist, not to make him; you can't manufacture him; you can dig him out and refine him; but not one grain of him can you originally produce."

How about the mechanically-trained artists (?) that "they" tell us "are made easily?" How about the many other false, shallow ideas that seem to be forced, in this Philistine age, upon an unsuspecting people and dubbed art? The artistic sense can be cultivated by everyone who has the inclination, the money and the opportunity. To cultivate and possess it in an extraordinary degree, is to be an artist.

William Morris, that great man of England, told us many things about art, its practical application in the every-day life about us; that is, the pleasure we may get out of the common things of life in the beauty of appropriateness or the higher art that transforms the things of nature into the statue, the picture, the building.

When we contemplate the higher arts, music, poetry, painting, sculpture, architecture, and remember the names that have immortalized wonderful productions of art, how difficult it is to consider the efforts of any small community in the light of a productiveness that is worth while. Yet we are helping those about us to appreciate and understand the best art of the world's history, in our recognition of every local deserving talent, no matter how unimportant it may seem. We reach the mountain after crossing the foothill.

In looking at pictures, I have frequently heard this remark from charming and intelligent persons: "I know what I like, but I don't know whether it is good or bad."

Nine times out of ten such persons like something very bad. You cannot help them into right seeing; their attitude toward art is all wrong; pure ignorance. The artistic sense must be trained just as every other sense must be. We do not consider it at all desirable to flaunt yellow literature or bad journalism before our friends and neighbors. We rather pride ourselves upon a correct taste on all matters of life. Why leave the artistic to take care of itself? But there is a blessed change going on far and near. Our public schools have taken the matter in hand, and everything is on the gain here. The best of reproduction in the way of pictures and casts; the best of teachers for drawing and color. In the young is always our hope. In time we may reach the people, the working people, and find America, after all, loving art for its own sake. So shall it surround and enrich all shades of life.

The art atmosphere. Not for a few, but for many. We shall have art galleries and music galore where all manner of people may find enjoyment and an uplift.

The well-known Power's Art Gallery of Rochester, N. Y., is a thing of the past, to the regret of many. Nowhere else in all the world could one see such a "mix-up" of art and things that were not art. The rooms were gorgeous in hangings and appointments, a great display of luxurious accessories that never rightfully belong to any gallery of paintings. There were poor pictures, and good pictures, and splendid examples of the Barbizon school of landscape painting, enriched by pictures from the famous Morgan collection in New York City. For many years this gallery has attracted lovers of pictures, and was the philanthropy of one of Rochester's millionaire men.

Some day I intend to make a tour around town and find out where the local painters live and try for a glimpse into their studios, and their portfolios. There is talent here, but the artists' work is not often on exhibition. I suppose they are a modest retiring set. The musical life of Los Angeles has taken a long stride in the way of advancement, and the painters must creep out of their shells and make a showing for themselves. The Los Angeles people will not be slow to appreciate any effort made by the artists.

M. A. B.

Owl in a Duck's Nest.

One of the foresters in the employ of the Marquis of Lothian was returning from his work when he noticed a wild duck flying from a larch tree. On close examination he observed a common brown owl looking down from what appeared to be a nest in the cleft of the tree about thirty feet from the ground and apparently near the place from which the duck had flown. Curiosity prompted him to climb to the place, which he did with great difficulty. The owl on his approach flew off, and to his surprise he found in the nest two eggs—an owl's and a wild duck's. It is not uncommon for both owls and ducks to build their nests high up on trees, but it is unheard of for one nest to be appropriated by both birds.—[The Scotsman.

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QUAKERS AGAIN VANQUISHED.

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Umpire—Zimmer.

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Brooklyn, 2; hits, 6; errors, 0.
St. Louis, 0; hits, 3; errors, 2.
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LEAGUE CLUBS' STANDING.

PERCENTAGES TO DATE.

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American League—		National League—	
Chicago	.604	New York	.728
Boston	.604	Chicago	.621
New York	.596	Pittsburgh	.596
Philadelphia	.581	Cincinnati	.530
Cleveland	.543	St. Louis	.510
Detroit	.526	Boston	.370
St. Louis	.404	Brooklyn	.327
Washington	.328	Philadelphia	.271

DE ATE DID DE BUSINESS.

WHAT HAPPENED IN THAT WAS THE REAL ARTICLE.

Tail End Push Creates Boisterous Talk Over a Swatted Finger and Spies Gets Loud Laughter Because the Wind Knocked Him Down. Newton is Too Strong.

Los Angeles, 1; Oakland, 0.

A breath of wind hit a Dutchman on the little finger yesterday and knocked him flat on his back before a howling mob of a thousand people.

Just what wind will do in election times is something appalling. Spies is famous in Coast baseball history as the man whose crooked finger was straightened by a foul tip, and yesterday he added to his fame by being floored with half the hot air that Maj. Lawler uses when he plunges thunderously into his oratorical seas with nothing but the frail life raft of "friends-and-fellow-citizens-this-is-a-time-that-tries" to cling to.

Spies was greeted with rapturous applause in his down-for-half-the-count act, and he could not have been more heartily cheered if the Espee was running him for Senator. He sputtered and fumed like a mogul engine balked on the hill at Sacramento, but in this instance the people wouldn't stand for it. Heine was joshed back to the roundhouse as a found-out imitation of a big joke, and even his own push finally got next and was sore and inflamed, as it always is unless there is something in sight.

All the excitement came near the tail end of the convention, when it was time to deliver the goods, and for five minutes the delegates and the spectators were in a big uproar.

As one of them describes it: "Wild Bill, who was in temporary charge of the Third Ward in Oakland, raised a great roar because the boys were being what he thought double-crossed out of what was coming to 'em, and Grandmaw Lohman of the Old Ladies' Home rushed out and "bullyragged" Chairman McCarthy somethin' scandalous, while Chimmie Byrnes showed his teeth at McCarthy. Toman of de Sixth was the real cause of the row, for he was smacked on the finger with a ball in de ate and took a walk. De delegates rushed in for de rough house, and wanted to t'row him out because dey said his credentials was bum and de spectators hooted and laughed and hissed. However, McCarthy must a tot he was a jedge at a Espee primary, for he passed him widout asking whether he was a Democrat, a labor agitator or anything.

"Dere was things doin' about den, for all de push on both sides had wrasled for over a hour widout electin' any geeser. Dere had been a barrel of monkey business all dis time, but there was nothin' doin' for all de rag chewin', knockin' and sweatin' by every rummie in de hall. Dey took a lot of ballots, but day couldn't git 'em counted, and a course dere was a big noise, for a lot a ginnies butted in dat wasn't even in de ward.

"Well, along late in de day we heard from de Ate, and say, dis one comes up good and strong for us. Say, when we commence to count dem returns dere was somethin' stirring, and as it turned out de Ate was de goods. Smit got in a knock de first t'ing, and den Wooden Shoes from de celery farm swung one, too. Then Timmie Flood from de Second sent one down de middle to Chimmie Buchanan, and Smit was trun out before he got to de third precinct, but Celery got through to de second on dis. Say dere was a howlin' and a screechin' from de push when dis comes off, and it was awful when Chimmie de Mink Toman got a bump from de ball on de finger nail of his right mitt. Celery gittin' into de third ward on dis. Ross flued hisself out into de right lot and den Celery dashed into de plate before dey could git de returns back.

"Spies came on next, and what Buchanan threw at him didn't come near soakin' him, but de Maj. Lawler wind concussion knocked him down. He made a big bluff, hopin' to get Flood in, but it wouldn't work, and he put de balance of 'em to the bad for that ballot by countin' hisself out to Moskiman.

"Dat was all, but it give us enough to howl our heads off over somethin' dat ain't finished yet, and won't be till next winter."

The results:

LOS ANGELES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Bernard, cf	4	0	2	1	3	0	0
Chase, 1b	4	0	0	0	6	1	1
Smith, 2b	4	0	2	0	2	2	0
Cravath, rf	4	1	1	1	4	0	0
Flood, 2b	4	0	0	0	4	1	0
Toman, ss	3	0	0	0	1	4	0
Ross, lf	4	0	0	1	1	0	0
Spies, c	4	0	1	0	5	1	0
Newton, p	3	0	0	0	1	2	1
Totals	34	1	6	3	27	11	2

OAKLAND.

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Francks, ss	4	0	1	0	2	2	1
Moskiman, rf	4	0	1	0	6	0	0
Dunleavy, lf	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Kruger, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Streib, 1b	4	0	1	0	7	1	0
Devereaux, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
Byrnes, c	4	0	0	0	4	0	0
McKune, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Buchanan, p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	0	4	0	24	6	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Los Angeles	1	2	4	5	6	7	8	9		
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1
Oakland	1	0	1	1	2	1	0	2	0	—8
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	—4

SUMMARY.

Two-base hit—Cravath.
First base on errors—Los Angeles, 1; Oakland, 1.
Left on bases—Los Angeles, 10; Oakland, 7.
Bases on balls—Off Newton, 1.
Struck out—By Newton, 4; Buchanan, 3.
Double plays—Newton to Spies to Chase.
Hit by pitched ball—Toman.
Time of game—1h. 35m.
Umpire—McCarthy.

ERROR COST SEATTLE GAME.

SAN FRANCISCO WINS AGAIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Up to the eighth inning the game stood 1 to 0 in favor of Seattle. A costly error by Blankenship tied the score and the locals won out in the ninth. Score:

SAN FRANCISCO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Waldron, cf	3	1	1	1	3	0	0
Hildebrand, ss	3	0	0	1	4	5	1
Meany, rf	2	1	0	0	1	0	0
Van Buren, lf	4	0	0	1	1	0	0
Townsend, 1b	3	0	0	0	9	0	0
Irwin, 2b	3	0	1	0	1	0	0
Anderson, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	7	0
Gorton, c	3	0	0	0	5	0	0
Barber, p	3	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	26	2	2	3	27	12	1

SEATTLE.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Van Haltren, cf	4	0	1	0	1	0	0
Mohler, 2b	4	0	1	0	5	6	0
Delehanty, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
Frisk, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Blankenship, 1b	3	0	0	0	12	1	2
Smith, rf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
R. Hall, ss	4	0	0	0	2	3	1
Wilson, c	3	0	1	0	3	3	0
Williams, p	3	0	0	0	2	5	0
Totals	33	1	4	0	*24	18	3

*No one out when winning run scored.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

San Francisco	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—2
Seattle	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	—4
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	—6

SUMMARY.

Three-base hit—Williams.
Two-base hit—Gorton.
Sacrifice hits—Hildebrand, Townsend.
First base on errors—San Francisco, 2; Seattle, 1.
First base on called balls—Off Barber, 1; off Williams, 2.
Left on bases—San Francisco, 6; Seattle, 6.
Struck out—By Barber, 6; by Williams, 2.
Hit by pitcher—Waldron, Anderson.
Double plays—Anderson to Hildebrand to Townsend (2); Williams to Blankenship.
Time of game—1h. 55m.
Umpire—O'Connell.

WAS SLOVENLY GAME.

PORTLAND DEFEATS TACOMA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TACOMA, Aug. 12.—Today's game was the most slovenly fielding exhibition that has been seen in Tacoma this year, both teams offending equally. Tacoma had the game 7 to 2, chiefly because of Portland's errors. In the seventh inning five errors with a base on balls and three hits gave Portland seven runs, and a lead which the visitors maintained. Score:

Portland, 13; hits, 13; errors, 6.
Tacoma, 7; hits, 13; errors, 8.
Batteries—Roach and Steelman; Thomas, Lynch and Hogan.
Umpires—Brown and McDonald.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Seattle	16	10	6	.625
Tacoma	16	10	6	.625
Los Angeles	16	10	6	.625
San Francisco	17	9	8	.529
Portland	16	6	10	.375
Oakland	17	4	13	.235

Fairgrounds Summary.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12.—Six furlongs: Picture Hat won, Opinion second, Tim Hurst third; time 1:15.

Six and a half furlongs, selling: Atlas won, Ora second, Allegretta third; time 1:22.

Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Syevale won, Varro second, Shortcake third; time 1:48¾.

Seven furlongs, two-year-olds: Fruit won, The Cook second, Miss Powell third; time 1:28¼.

Six furlongs, handicap: Follis Observer won, Tally H. second, Jimalong third; time 1:15.

Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Kingscourt won, Regina D. second, Avoid third; time 1:48½.

Harlem Summary.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Half mile: Brand New won, Fly Lady second, Agnes Brennan third; time 1:13 3-5.

Steeplechase, short course: Oliver won, Allegiance second, Springstead third; time 3:46.

Mile: Princess Tulane won, Brancas second, White Plume third; time 1:39 4-5.

Six furlongs: Lady Savoy won, Moorish Damsel second, Belle Kinney third; time 1:13 3-5.

Six furlongs: The Mighty won, My Alice second, Silent Water third; time 1:31 4-5.

Mile and seventy yards: Freckman won, Voila second, Maud Muller third; time 1:45.

Mile and seventy yards: Blue Mint won, Inventor second, Joe Frey third; time 1:45.

Results at Irvington.

PORTLAND (Or.) Aug. 12.—Five and a half furlongs: Karabell won, Skip Me second, Algaretta third; time 1:08¾.

Three furlongs: Queen T. won, Whisky King second, Ulctma third; time 0:36½.

Six furlongs: Estraza won, Vince second, Sir Dougal third; time 1:15½.

Mile and an eighth, hurdle: Milas won, Dr. Long second, Jim Roberts third; time 2:06.

Six furlongs: Bell Reed won, Sallie Goodwin second, Laureate third; time 1:15¾.

One mile, selling: Col. Van won, Legal Maxim second, Profitable third; time 1:42½.

Empire City Summary.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The 2:18 pace, stake $5000, mile heats, two in three: Morning Star won both heats: time 2:05, 2:06¼. China Maid, Baron Grattan and three others also started.

The 2:15 trot, John H. Schultz Stakes, $2150: Bonnie Russell won first and third heats and race; time 2:07½, 2:11. Aristo won second heat in 2:10½. Single K., and seven others also started.

The 2:17 trot, purse, $600, mile and a sixteenth: Earline S. won in 2:20¼. Alex Campbell, Leonora and three others also started.

The 2:07 trot, purse $900, mile dash: Swift won in 2:09. Caspian Hawthorne and three others also started.

The 2:07 pace, purse $800, mile dash: Winfield Stratton won in 2:07½. Albert, Endora and six others also started.

Prince Alert paced to beat 1:59½ and made 2:00½.

Tozer on Billings Plant.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12.—Ralph Tozer, secretary of the Union Jockey Club of St. Louis, stated tonight that Perry Belmont, W. J. Arkell and other eastern turfmen were seeking to acquire the Billings plant at Memphis. "I have absolute information," said Tozer, "that an offer of $400,000 has been made, and that negotiations for the transfer are now under way."

ONE of the interesting articles in The Times Magazine the comin" Sunday will be a graphic description of some of the glories of Yellowstone Park by George W. Burton.

MARTIN BEST PUNCHER MAN.

Former Conqueror McVey is Decisively Beaten.

Oxnard Beauty Figures as Receiver Throughout.

Two Fast Bouts Between the Smaller Men Please.

Keen in limb, trim of body; conditioned like a Derby winner and as fast, "Denver Ed" Martin last night was a different man from the one who succumbed to Sam McVey in a punch but a few months ago. Profiting by every opportunity, never overlooking an opening, the tall African punched his gorilla-like opponent as a street car conductor does a transfer—all around and in the middle. Using every blow in the books of pugilism, hooking, smashing, jabbing and jolting, Martin took more than $50 out of McVey's hide and amply repaid certain old scores that have been chalked up since the men last met. Then Martin fell a victim to over-confidence and under-conditioning; since that night he has tasted of roughing it without a penny in his pockets, or a moneyed manager to fall back upon, and the experience did him good. Resolved to get another opportunity and confident he could win, Martin for months has been working to the end which he accomplished in such a decisive manner last night.

Perfect in fighting science, strong in muscle and true in wind, the big darky shone in his ability as he did in his satiny skin. McVey figured as a punching bag from the start; his lot was that of an actor-pugilist's sparring partner and Martin was unsparing in his revenge. At the first clash his long, muscular left arm shot in and out with the accuracy and force of a piston rod. Into McVey's face with crushing force it smashed, and the aim was as unfailing as that of the crack rifleman. From the first left jolt in the opening minute of the bout—a terrific blow delivered with all of the big fellow's 214 pounds behind it—to the decision of Referee Stuart, there was never a moment's doubt as to the outcome. McVey did as little execution as one pugilist could do against another and stay with him half an hour. When he vouchsafed a crazy swing or two, Martin was inside with a right or left smash to the heart, and the blows very effectively knocked all the fight out of the Oxnard black. With almost uncanny cleverness, Martin danced around his opponent and drove in sledgehammer blows. McVey's left efforts were blocked a yard from the tall fellow's face. To show his versatility, Martin mixed with McVey and outfought the burly negro at his own game. So much faster was the giant that his antagonist seemed to be standing still. A better fight on Martin's part or a worse one on McVey's it would be hard to conceive.

THE PRELIMS.

Kid Solomon in the opening preliminary found the Montana Kid a game and very tough nut. Sturdy and willing, he was on deck throughout and the local Kid had his hands very full. Solomon used his left with good effect as he always does, but his efforts with the right were unavailing. Whenever he cut loose with it the other Kid found and used an opening. He landed on Solomon frequently and with dire effect; while neither was knocked down for the full count, both were in bad shape at times, and, although the Montana lad seemed a bit the freshest at the finish, Tom Savage, who refereed, could not have made anything else than a draw of it.

Frank Fields also ran up against a snag in Mike McClure, who is a dangerous infighter, not of much account at long range, but a bad man to engage within short arm reach. Playing for the body and head with equal facility he had Fields in a bad way at the end of the sixth round, and the Oxnard lad was very lucky to earn a draw by a spurt of three rounds hard fighting. McClure did not seem to be in the best of condition and belly punches distressed him more than they should. Not until he began using his left hand in the mixes did he begin to take the lead over Fields, but as soon as this change of tactics was resorted to, McClure began to score with regularity.

At the end of the fifth the battle was very even; both had done some good work, Fields having landed the oftenest and the cleanest; McClure the hardest. In the sixth McClure began to put faith in his left hand. Creating openings with it he rushed and played for the body. He opened the round with three left jolts to the jaw and face. McClure missed a wild rush. A succession of lefts to the mouth and eye were followed by a left smash to the body that hurt Fields greatly. Fields ducked a haymaker that would have settled the fight, but stopped a stiff uppercut with his ribs. In the seventh, Fields opened with left hand leading for the face, but McClure jolted left and right hooks to the head in a clinch. Field dropped a pretty right cross on McClure's left ear. Fields's nose began to run again. Rushing him to a corner, McClure hooked a hard left to the jaw and Fields reeled away from it very groggy. McClure seeing his opportunity rushed; Fields ducked, but McClure caught him with a long uppercut and Frank went down dazed for the count of nine. Fields rose and McClure foolishly let him recover. Frank started to mix, but was so weak his efforts were unavailing. McClure took it easy in the eighth and allowed his opponent to recover somewhat. In the ninth Fields tore in like a devil. Like the spokes of a whirling wheel his arms played in and out, but they encountered McClure's guard. McClure, stung by a body blow, shot a wild uppercut after Fields and scored on the chin. Fields was groggy, but still game. He charged in, reeling after his body punches and the weight sent one of them home with crushing force. It took McClure amidships and blew off a lot of his steam. The belly wallops saved Fields's bacon by creating a diversion which outlasted the round.

Fields opened the tenth with a left to the belly and a right cross to the ear. McClure shot a left to the head. Fields smashed the jaw with a right, and down went McClure. He was up again right away, and came back with a right to the belly. Taking cognizance of the knockdown in the last round, Referee Stuart made his decision a draw, arguing there was not enough margin to award McClure the verdict. The decision was received with cheers excepting McClure's adherents. Fields made a very game fight, was willing at all times, and therefore earned credit. His blows were clean cut and snappy if without much force; his body blows were effective.

MARTIN-M'VEY.

McVey looked very fit, and Martin, though a bit bulky around the middle, proved by his fight that he was physically right. He drew hardly a long breath and was never distressed.

At 10:15 o'clock the gong started the big fellows. Martin opened with a left rip to the ribs. McVey landed a short left on the head. Martin threw his weight behind a left hook to the mouth delivered at close range and the blow drove McVey almost off his feet. Martin smashed another left to the face. Breaking from a clinch Martin hurled right and left hooks to the jaw. McVey missed with a haymaker six feet. He bored in and attacked, bows on at full speed, trying to ram Martin amidships. Martin sidestepped and uppercut with the left to McVey's mouth, turning him half around. McVey began making his characteristic and unlovely fighting faces. McVey tried to rush; Martin's foot work was superb; he feinted McVey into a knot and scored with the left hand.

Martin opened the second with a left to the head. McVey charged; Martin met him and rushed him back to the ropes, playing for the body. McVey missed another haymaker. Martin shoved home a left to the mouth. Martin split McVey's lip with a left smash, and landed left and right rips to the ribs. Martin landed a left to the ribs and another to the stomach. Martin wound up a splendid round's fighting on his part with a left-hand uppercut, clean and hard.

With the exception of a light left landed by McVey on Martin's face, the big fellow continued his lead in the third round.

McVey put a right to the heart at the opening of the fourth. Martin slowed up a trifle and took it easier. McVey did a little work in the fifth, but Martin was inside most of his swings and they did not distress him much. In the sixth Martin began leading for McVey's heart. A left to the ribs and a terrific right smash to the heart made McVey grunt like a bull.

Martin feinted at the opening of the seventh, shook his right glove and shifted home a heavy left punch under the heart, quick and hard. Martin jabbed a left to the face. McVey countered on the ribs twice. Martin shot a hard left to the head in a half shift. Martin whirled home a terrific left uppercut, which lifted McVey off his feet and at the gong he was hanging on for dear life, spent and sore, every breath a pain.

Martin rushed at the bell in the eighth and whipped in left and right smashes to the body. McVey tried to rush; Martin's footwork made the Oxnarder look foolish. Martin's left reached the jaw twice. With a hard right uppercut, coming out of a clinch, Martin picked McVey's huge bulk up and almost off the floor; McVey clinched and hung on like a leech. Martin landed a right hook to the jaw and again smashed his right to the mark. McVey was heavy and slow. In the final round Martin continued his aggressive tactics. A left to the ribs, one to the stomach and a right uppercut to the jaw made McVey hang on. At the last gong McVey was again holding, and Referee Stuart immediately, amid cheers, raised Martin's arm in token of victory. Martin will at an early date be given another engagement in this city.

Southerners Drink Less.

"Have you noticed," said the observant man about town, "that the people of the South are becoming every year less addicted to the use of spirituous liquors? Whether this is attributable to the prohibition propaganda or to the growing popularity of other beverages I am not prepared to say, but that it is a fact you may easily convince yourself by visiting the prominent saloons of the city during the luncheon hour.

"Where ten drinks of whisky were sold ten years ago, today you will find but one handed over the counter. Claret, milk and beer seem to be the favorite beverages of the lunchers. You see men drinking beer today who sneered at it ten years ago, and the switching to the milder beverages seems to have caused a decrease in the number of drunkards. You may go a whole day and not see a man heavily intoxicated. Soda water, too, seems to be becoming a factor in diminishing the demand for intoxicants not to be despised. There are no available statistics on the subject, but I am informed by a drummer for a house that supplies apparatus for the soda fountains and bottling works that the annual consumption of the fizzing liquid amounts in dollars to more than fifty millions, and is constantly on the increase."—[New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Dangers of Heredity.

Mrs. Simpson has a profound belief in the doctrine of heredity. Mrs. Simpson is colored and washes for a living. A few years ago her husband passed away, not by death or divorce, but by the simple process of abandonment. He left her to support a little daughter, who is a bright child.

"What is your little girl's name?" asked one of Mrs. Simpson's patrons the other day.

"Helen," replied Susan.

"Oh, indeed? Named after some of your relatives?"

"Wal, no. I kinder liked the name mahself. But dat ain't what I called her fust."

"No?"

"No. Fust she was chris'ened Anna Cornelia after a pusson what was a partic'lar friend of mine at dat time, but me an' dat pusson had trouble after dat, an', anyhow, she tuk to drink, so I jes' changed dat chile's name, fear she might inherit it."—[New York Press.

Grandmother at Thirty-four.

"The wife of a Brooklyn Alderman has just had the rare experience of becoming a grandmother at thirty-six."

The above paragraph, which appeared in The Express recently, has provided an instant challenge from a lady who lives near Brighton.

"Is this unusual?" she asks. "I was married at fifteen. I had a daughter at sixteen. She married at seventeen, and she had a child nearly a year afterward.

"Therefore I was a grandmother at thirty-four. I had four children before I was twenty-one and have had none since. Now I am forty-two. My girls are all grown up, so we are like five sisters, and as happy as queens.

"Three of my daughters are married, and I have two grandsons.

"I could not resist the challenge implied in your paragraph, seeing that I could so distinctly go one better than the American grandmother."

Our correspondent's achievement is heroic. But she will probably not be astonished to find, in spite of the obvious surprise of her question, that she has very few competitors in England.

The lady was married at fifteen. Now, in all England at the time of the last census there were only thirty wives of that age. This is not conclusive, of course. If the census were taken annually it might show thirty wives at the age of fifteen every year. —[London Express.

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BUSINESS.

There was a partial halt in the speculative movement at New York yesterday and a considerable shrinkage in the volume of dealings over the preceding day. Money is flowing back to New York from the interior. Chicago's wheat market struggled under a heavy load of long wheat. September closed at 101 1-8.

STATUS OF THE WAR

It is extremely difficult to arrive at a clear understanding of the exact status of the great war in the Far East, as it exists at the present time. The details of the great mass of dispatches with which the newspapers of the world are being furnished are frequently so conflicting in their statements, the scenes of the conflict are so remote, the censorship of the news is so strict and the real truth often so hard to get at that the average reader finds himself guessing very much of the time.

It is possible, however, to form a fairly clear idea as to the general situation and to discern with reasonable accuracy the positions of the adversaries. The Japanese campaign has been aggressive from the beginning. Their efforts from the start have been directed toward clearing Manchuria of Russians. The opening of the war found the Russians in possession of Port Arthur, the strongest fortification in the sphere of action and the key to the peninsula back of it and all the disputed territory besides where the Russians are now or have been in possession. To dislodge Russia has been the necessary purpose of the war from Japan's standpoint, and the duty and task of Russia was and is to defend and hold the ground. Japan began operations without delay, laying siege to Port Arthur with her navy and later with her land forces. The fighting has been hard and destructive, and, while in many cases the loss of life on both sides has been greatly exaggerated, the mortality undoubtedly has been appalling.

At the present writing there can be no question that the Russian forces are dangerously near to being hemmed in by Japan, both upon land and sea, and they are also considerably outnumbered. The Russian army numbers about 125,000 and is under the command of Gen. Kouropatkin. Moving against this force and evidently surrounding it there are three Japanese armies, the first under Gen. Kuroki, the second under Gen. Oku and the third under Gen. Nodzu. Besides these there is a fourth Japanese army under Gen. Nogi operating against Port Arthur. All told, the Japanese land forces must number over 200,000. The land operations now resolve themselves into a question as to whether Kouropatkin can extricate himself from this Japanese network either by a possible retreat, or by meeting and defeating his opponents. There is the possibility that Russia may be able to reach Kouropatkin with reinforcements, in which event his chances to gain one or more decisive victories over the enemy would be greatly enhanced.

The situation at Port Arthur is intense with an interest which has been greatly heightened by the news now current that the Russian squadrons there bottled up by the Japanese Admiral Togo, have escaped to join the other Russian fleet at Vladivostok. For months past the efforts of Togo to bring about the capitulation of Port Arthur were carried on with fierce energy, but as yet without success. The siege has already become immortal and the bravery of both the besiegers and defenders is not excelled in the annals of war. At last accounts the Russians had within the besieged harbor six battleships, four cruisers and fourteen destroyers. Whether all these or any of them have escaped only the news of the next few days can tell. If this fleet or even a part of it can get out of Port Arthur and make a junction with the Vladivostok naval forces it will greatly aid Russia's movements by land as well as water.

Gen. Kuroki is credited with saying that the aim of Japan for this year is to occupy the entire Liao Tung Peninsula, seize and garrison Port Arthur and Yinkow as well, and force the permanent evacuation of Newchwang. The question then to consider is whether the Japs can accomplish this, or not, and interest should be centered on the outcome from the point of view thus established.

THE BATTLE OF THE BUGS.

Twenty-five years ago you might read in boom publications, published by enterprising real estate men, or State and county associations, and intended for consumption by outsiders, some such statement as this: "One of the advantages which the horticulturist has in California is the fact that the State is entirely free from those insect pests that give so much trouble to the tiller of the soil in other sections."

Unfortunately, such an assertion can no longer be made with any approach of truth. It was, indeed, manifest from the beginning to any intelligent person, that a climate so favorable to the development of plant and animal life must also be favorable to those insect pests that prey upon plants and animals. Hence, it is not surprising to find that California has become not only a paradise for man, but also for destructive bugs, great and small, of all shapes and colors, which, unless kept in check, devour and destroy the plants and trees on which the husbandman lavishes so much time, care and money. Some of these bugs are exceedingly dainty in their diet, confining themselves to one particular dish from the great menu that Mother Nature has spread before them in this productive land, while others are as voracious and omnivorous as a hungry laboring man at a boarding-house, devouring every green thing that lies before them, like the plague of locusts that devastated Egypt, counterparts of which are sometimes found in our Western States. Consequently, the horticulturist in California, as in most other parts of the world, has a dual fight on hand, first, to preserve his crop from the depredations of these minute scourges, and secondly, to secure a profitable price for the product when it is ready to market—a two-sided fight, against bugs on the one hand and buyers on the other.

This fight against obnoxious insect pests has led to another sort of internecine warfare among those who are engaged in the business of supplying ammunition, as it were, to the horticulturists for their battle against the bugs. There are three schools of bugology, and like the various schools of medicine, they all agree on one thing only, namely, that the other fellows are no good at all, at all. First, there are those who advocate spraying of the trees to poison the scale insects. This, it is claimed by others, is destructive to the trees, and often dangerous to those who eat the fruit. Next come the fumigators, who, under a large tent constructed for the purpose, and placed over the tree, introduce a poisonous gas that effectually spoils the business of Mr. Bug. Thirdly come those who advocate the introduction of parasites to devour the bugs, for Nature, in her wisdom, has provided that every noxious thing has some enemy to prey upon it. Otherwise all life, vegetable and animal, would undoubtedly have been wiped off the earth ages ago. Those who have lived in California for fifteen years or more remember how, about as long ago as that, the orange growing industry of Southern California, then just emerging from the infant stage of development, was so seriously threatened by an enterprising bug called the "white cottony cushion scale" that many believed orange growing in this section was doomed to extinction. Then Koebele—to whom the orange growers of Southern California should certainly raise a statue—brought up from Australia a little parasite called the "Vedalia cardinalis," which, in an incredibly short space of time, cleaned out the white scale, so that within a couple of years it was difficult to find even a few specimens for breeding in order that the parasite might be kept alive. Since then good reports have been received of the results achieved by other parasites in the destruction of the purple and black scales.

Doubtless, the scale insect that is the most damaging to the fruit interests of California today is the so-called San José scale, which confines itself to deciduous fruit. This minute insect has been the cause of heated controversies between the State Department and European nations. It has spread over California, and is now found more or less all over the country. It was first discovered in the early seventies in San José in the grounds of James Lick, the pioneer, who gave the Mount Hamiliton observatory to the State. It soon spread throughout California and the Pacific Coast, and became a most notable enemy of such fruits as the pear, apple, peach, prune and certain small fruits. In 1880 Prof. Comstock reported it to be the most destructive scale enemy of fruits known to him. Ten years ago it began to spread in Virginia and other fruit growing sections of the East. The alarm spread to foreign countries and, beginning in Germany, one after the other of the European powers adopted measures prohibiting the importation of American plants and fruits, or requiring rigid inspection before such admission. Canada adopted similar restrictions, and even such remote countries as the Cape of Good Hope, New Zealand and Java followed suit. During the past ten years this scale insect has steadily extended its range in the United States and also in Canada. It has not gained lodgment in Europe, so far, and it is believed that if it should do so the climate of Europe would be found unfavorable to its spreading.

In the Popular Science Monthly for August is an interesting article by C. L. Marlatt of the United States Department of Agriculture. He was detailed by the department to endeavor to discover the native home of this scale insect which was, prior to 1901, a matter of conjecture, the object being to endeavor to discover, in the habitat of the scale, a parasite that would keep it in check. Mr. Marlatt had an idea that the San José scale was a native of Eastern Asia. Consequently, he started first on a thorough exploration of the Japanese islands, devoting six months to them and later three months to Eastern China, traveling over much of the ground in house boats and on horseback. To make a long story short, Mr. Marlatt proved, to his own satisfaction, that the special district where the San José scale is native and thrives is a thoroughly well shut-in region in Northeastern China, which he thinks probably accounts for the failure of this insect to become a world pest years ago. He says:

"This district is the region leading up to the mountains and comprising the northern and northeastern frontiers of China proper. Beyond the Great Wall on the north and west lies Mongolia, consisting chiefly of the vast desert of Gobi. To the northeast and separating the region from Manchuria and Korea is the eastern Gobi desert. To the south and east lies the great alluvial plain, the product of centuries of mud carried down by the Yellow River, a region where cereals only are grown. These are all effective barriers, and especially so when considered in connection with the political conditions of the past. We have, therefore, as the original home of this insect, a naturally shut-off area from which it could not easily escape under the conditions prevailing up to our own time."

Throughout the region investigated in China where the San José scale occurs, the natural agency keeping the scale in check was evidently a small ladybird, which was feeding voraciously upon it wherever the scale was found in any numbers. A considerable quantity of these beetles was collected in both Japan and China, and sent by mail to Washington. Unfortunately, most of the specimens died in transit or during the first winter. Two individuals, however, survived, and during the first summer from these two some five thousand or more beetles were secured. As to the results achieved, Mr. Marlatt says:

"The original stock was kept in cages, but later on the insects were liberated in an experimental orchard attached to the insectary of the department. During the first summer a considerable number of colonies were sent out to various States, placing them in charge, in the main, of the entomologists connected with the State experiment stations. During the summer of 1903, the second one since the introduction of this insect, some thirty or forty additional colonies were distributed. A good many of these colonies were liberated under rather unfavorable conditions, and the beetles probably perished. The best success has come from certain colonies sent to Georgia. One of these, located at Marshallville, presents a most satisfactory outcome. This orchard contains some 17,000 peach trees, covering about eighty-five acres, and has lying immediately adjoining it a much larger orchard belonging to the same owner, containing 250,000 trees, all scatteringly infested with scale. The ladybirds were liberated in August, 1902, in the smaller orchard. An examination of this orchard in July, 1903, indicated that the beetles were rapidly spreading and that they would soon cover the smaller orchard. A rough estimate at this time of the number of ladybirds in all stages places the total at somewhere between 25,000 and 40,000. In Georgia the beetles evidently continued breeding up to January. There is, therefore, in this orchard at least, a very flattering outlook for good results from the imported beetle."

This will be good news for the horticulturists of California, especially for those in the central and northern portions of the State, where the deciduous fruit industry is of more importance than it is here. Meantime, however, other troubles threaten the fruit grower. It has been recently discovered that the parasite imported to prey upon the purple scale is, in its turn, the victim of another parasite that devours it. An illustration of the truth of that passage in Hudibras, which runs something like this:

"Big fleas have little fleas
Upon their backs to bite them.
Little fleas have lesser fleas,
And so on ad infinitum."

THE PRIZE FISH STORY.

From Mine Hill, N. J., there comes an interesting piscatorial tale. The fact that it comes from Mine Hill should arouse no premature prejudice in the public mind. Time was when Esopus and East Aurora, N. Y., were not indicated in red on the maps.

Three years ago Mrs. John Biddle's home was entered by a burglar, who stole much jewelry. He was arrested, tried and convicted, but none of the stolen finery was recovered. He admitted that he dumped his loot into Budd's Lake, but persistent dragging failed to restore any of it, and he was accredited with being a liar as well as a thief. But one of the morals of the story is, as will be observed, that we should not jump at conclusions.

Recently Mrs. Biddle went fishing for the first time in her life. Also, she went to Budd's Lake. Likewise, in true fisherman spirit, she went on a Sunday. Similarly, and not to spoil the story in the telling thereof, she caught the only fish taken out of that lake that day. This is the time-honored custom; especially when a member of the fair sex is making her first attempt at luring fish other than human.

All the details of the first chapters having been thus carefully worked out by the vigilant press correspondent, the ending of the story can be readily guessed. Mrs. Biddle caught a pickerel—doubtless the largest pickerel ever taken from Budd's Lake—and in its stomach was found her watch, stolen three years before. It was in good condition; some eyewitnesses even going so far as to declare, in the grocery-store postoffice, that it was ticking along as of yore, and was within forty-nine seconds of the correct time as indicated by the drinking-fountain clock in the town hall square.

There are many lovely little morals to be drawn from this simple rural tale about Budd's Lake; but the most impressive one—the one which seems to be of prime importance at this particular season of the year—is that girls should not despise the gentle art of angling. Although you cannot all catch a big pickerel with a gold watch, dearies, you may land some sucker who will disgorge a solitaire diamond ring.

The advent of a boy baby into the household of Nicholas II, Czar of all the Russias, will do more to make light the heart of that much troubled and melancholy young man than anything else that could have happened. The very hopes of his empire trembled upon the issue and the birth of a son was the direst necessity that confronted his dynasty. If the boy shall live, God grant that his life shall prove a blessing to mankind at large and to Russia in particular.

A hunter in Pennsylvania gives out the startling information that while searching the woods for game he was bitten by a huge rattler, and, not having any of the time-tried snake-bite remedy at hand, he bound the leaves of "a certain herb" upon the wound, and thus saved his life. Fortunately, he does not give the name or a description of the herb.

There is one man in Russia who is probably not glad that the Czar's new baby is a boy, and that's the Grand Duke Michael, who, otherwise, would have succeeded to the throne. But Mike shouldn't grieve too deeply about it; the job isn't such a peaceful sinecure that any sane man would covet it.

The surrender of the Democrats to the Populists in Nebraska simply means that decent Democrats will vote the Republican ticket and that William J. Bryan will have the same chance to go to the United States Senate that a jack rabbit has.

Prof. Goldwin Smith of Canada says this republic is tottering to its fall. The professor should adjust his glasses, step over the line and get a closer view. What he really sees is only the quivering smoke from countless manufacturing-plant chimneys.

Gen. Grosvenor predicts a sweeping Republican victory this year. And no one can spring the deadly parallel column on him to show that his 1904 remarks on this subject are not in line with his declarations of previous years.

When a monument is builded to the late Senator Vest, a figure of a dog should be created to lie at its base, in commemoration of the great orator's matchless tribute to man's most faithful friend.

It is now given out that Parker was once a hunter of chipmunks. The President was once a hunter of mountain lions—and the two candidates will poll votes in about the same proportion.

A Missouri poetess, presumably fair, cries: "Oh tell me, my heart, if this is love!" Possibly, sister; or it may be only a touch of that good old Missouri malaria. Calomel, in either case.

While the people of Garvanza are compelled to hold their noses they do not propose to hold their tongues. The more smells the more talk, they say. Garvanza means business.

Now that the New York garment workers have agreed to the "open shop" doctrine a few more walking delegates will be compelled to work for a living.

Henry Gassoway Davis declares that he "will do all in his power to help win this battle." Coming from Mr. Davis, this is tantamount to a consent to open his bar'l.

A Frankfort (Mo.) man has raised a beard eleven feet long. This appears to relegate the Hon. "Windy" V. Allen of Nebraska to the shelf.

The unionists are declaring against Candidate Davis. No wonder, in the face of the announcement that he works eighteen hours a day.

Prince Henry of Prussia is coming back again; this time to visit the St. Louis fair. Kommen Sie, Heinrich. Sie sind sehr willkommen.

The movement among the Chinese in America to abolish the queue is very significant. It signifies the acceptance of western civilization by the heretofore resisting Mongol. China is waking up and under the leadership of the esteemed Bow Wong Woys proposes to redeem herself. The battle cry of the Bow Wongs is "The pigtail must go," and it's a winner.

Some day one of the powers will be compelled to remove Turkey from the map. The Sublime Porte has come to be an intolerable international nuisance.

It is not all fun at Camp Atascadero, but the soldier boys must expect to undergo some of the rigors of war and take the bitter with the sweet.

The logical deduction to be drawn from the investigations into the orange trade is that Naftzger and Kinney smell very much alike.

Between the roasting of Naftzger and the sizzling of Kinney the discomfiture of the hot weather is comparatively insignificant.

According to our neighbors in beautiful Garvanza, the Arroyo Seco can now be distinctly located by the mere smell of it.

An eclipse of the sun is scheduled for August 30th inst. The Democratic eclipse will not occur until November 8.

Geo. Fred Wms. says he has decided not to bolt the Democratic ticket. This is a serious blow to the judge.

The Czar isn't the first man that smiled all over his face when they told him it was a boy.

We extend our distinguished congratulations to Her Gentle Majesty, the Czarina.

The crow of the Flint roosters seems to be confined to a very small hencoop.

Speaking of smells, the nighthawk street restaurants should not be overlooked.

FOREIGN FACTS.

Compiled by Henry T. Finck.

Butter to the value of $5,301,564 was exported from Australia last season.

The title doctor conferred by American dental colleges is no longer recognized in Germany.

Diamonds in considerable numbers have been found at Cakey Creek, twenty miles from Inverell, New South Wales.

The population of Naples is said to include nearly a hundred thousand persons who do not know today where they will find bread and shelter tomorrow.

Automobile machines for the cultivation of grain and cotton are to be introduced in Egypt on account of the great losses of cattle by the rinderpest.

The German artificial indigo already supplies more than one-half the world's needs, and is expected to drive the natural article out of the market in a few years.

Portugal (with Madeira) led all other countries last year in the exportation of wines to England. Spain came next, followed by France, Germany, Holland, Italy, Australia.

It is suggested that the waste sugar cane of Hawaii—more than 2,000,000 tons a year—which is now consumed as fuel, could be more profitably used for the manufacture of paper.

A German court has decided that the discovery on the part of one of two persons engaged to be married that the other is tuberculous justifies the breaking of the engagement.

Italy has 16,700,000 trees bearing oranges, lemons and pomegranates. Of last year's crop, 844,329 hundredweight went to Great Britain, 726,327 to North America.

Shanghai enjoys a singular immunity from plague; so does Madras city, and nobody knows why, as these cities do not differ specially from the others where plague is epidemic.

On Swiss railways no baggage is transported free, but bags and trunks may be forwarded by post, and the rate is extraordinarily low.

Cologne newspapers complain that tourists are neglecting the Rhine, and they suggest that the high prices prevailing in the hotels have a good deal to do with this.

In formic acid Dr. Clement of the French Academy of Medicine claims to have discovered a wonderful remedy for muscular fatigue. He combines it with bicarbonate of soda to save the stomach from distress.

Norwegian experts believe that by the establishment of sanatoriums containing each about twenty persons it will be possible to gradually exterminate tuberculosis, even as leprosy, once so prevalent in their country, was practically exterminated.

Efforts are being made in Germany to extract the alcohol from beer so as to obtain a drink which, while tasting like beer, is quite harmless. Temperance reformers are also trying to popularize American carbonated waters with fruit extracts.

An amusing scene was witnessed in Paris the other day. A man was fishing in the Seine when a big Newfoundland dog suddenly jumped into the water near him. Angry at being disturbed, he hit the dog on the head with his rod. The dog swam out with wrath in his eyes and made for the angler, who in trying to dodge him fell into the river. Last scene: the dog jumps in, seizes his enemy by the collar and lands him safely.

The most active volcano in the world is Mt. Sangay, in Ecuador, it has been active without interruption since 1728.

Prof. Assmann, one of the German government meteorological experts, has risen to explain that lightning seldom strikes in a forest where the trees are dense and of about the same height. Danger exists only where isolated trees rise high above their surroundings.

At the recent anti-tuberculosis congress in Copenhagen, Prof. Heron of London suggested that special instruction regarding the nature, danger and prevention of this disease should be given in schools, and every child compelled to pass an examination in hygiene.

The late Wilhelm Jordan used to claim that his ability to write as easily with the left hand as the right was one of the reasons why he was able to do such a vast amount of literary and journalistic work. He referred to the fact that Homer spoke of one of his warriors as having two right hands—Asteropeus, who could throw two spears at the same time.

ARMY AND NAVY MEN.

Capt. E. E. West, Marine Corps, has been ordered to Pittsburgh to take charge of the recruiting station there.

Lieutenant-Commander F. H. Bailey has been detached from the armored cruiser Brooklyn and ordered home to await orders.

Lieutenant-Commander F. M. Bostwick has been detached from the Philadelphia and ordered to the command of the Eagle, now at Boston.

Lieut.-Col. Richard E. Thompson, Signal Corps, has been ordered to assume charge of the Alaska military telegraph system, with headquarters at Seattle.

Army officers stationed in Washington express satisfaction at a recent order of the Secretary of War allowing those performing duty at the departments to wear civilian dress.

Lieut.-Col. Edwin F. Gardner, Deputy Surgeon-General, has been placed on the retired list because of physical disability. He was a medical graduate of Harvard and entered the army in 1876.

It is noted as rather remarkable that during his forty-two years of service in the navy, Rear-Admiral Converse, the successor of the late Rear-Admiral Taylor as chief of the Bureau of Navigation, has been but thirteen years and nine months at sea.

Commander Newton E. Mason, the new chief of the Bureau of Ordnance, has in his line of duty gained much experience which will prove of service in his present position. He spent over ten years at the torpedo station, the gun-foundry bureau and naval proving grounds.

When Rear-Admiral Goodrich took leave of Portsmouth Navy Yard preliminary for his departure to assume command of the Pacific Squadron, there was quite an impressive ceremony. Thirteen guns saluted the hauling down of his colors, after which he shook hands with all the officers, while the men were lined up at attention.

JULY CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

The following is the sworn statement of circulation of The Times for July, 1904:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, does solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of that paper printed and sold for each day of July, 1904, as shown by the office records, was as follows:

JULY, 1904.

1	33,460	17	50,500
2	33,370	18	34,000
3	50,500	19	34,170
4	34,000	20	34,200
5	34,040	21	38,100
6	34,200	22	34,180
7	34,180	23	34,100
8	34,000	24	50,500
9	34,150	25	34,300
10	50,500	26	34,250
11	34,200	27	35,780
12	34,250	28	34,200
13	34,150	29	34,190
14	34,180	30	34,200
15	34,120	31	50,500
16	34,000		
Total			1,142,880

HARRY CHANDLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of August, 1904.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

	Copies.
The average circulation for every day of July, 1904, was	36,867
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Showing an average daily gain for July, 1904, of	1,655

SPLENDID MIDSUMMER RECORD.

Three hundred and seventy-three columns was the phenomenal gain of The Times in advertising during July, compared with the same month of the preceding year. A total of 2930 columns, exclusive of official city advertising, was printed during the month, against 2557 columns for July, 1903.

The two other morning papers combined printed 2257 columns of advertising during the month, which it will be noticed is nearly seven hundred columns less than The Times record for July. The total volume of The Times July advertising nearly equals the combined total of the Herald, Examiner and Express.

Boycotters, recall campaigners, malicious and disappointed editors and publishers, professional machine politicians, horsethieves and lawbreakers, and "whoso loveth and maketh a lie" will do well to keep these "figgers" and things in mind. See?

REAL ESTATE NUMBER.

The Times will issue, on August 22nd, a special Real Estate Number. The subject matter and illustrations will be devoted entirely to city and suburban lands, country property, building industries and real estate enterprises, past progress and future prospects. A graphic history of the development of the Southwest during the last quarter century will be made one of the principal features of the publication, and no effort or expense will be spared to make the facts contained in this special edition authentic and informing. It will be essentially a publication for the prospective homeseeker and settler.

Advertisers desiring space in this number should consult the Business Department at once, as advertising cannot be received for it later than August 15.

It is the intention of the publishers to mail a copy of this special number to a selected list of over 20,000 persons now living at a distance.

DAY DREAM PICTURE.

There's a quiver of heat over the asphalted street,
And the noon of the city is
As I sit at my desk, viewing
picturesque,
Of broad meadows where
grazing.

The great brick and stone
wall up the defiles
Where the throngs of the
surging,
Melt away to give place to
space,
With the woods, hills and
emerging.

There the brook ripple
purls o'er the rocks,
At the songs of the birds
And the senses are lulled by
which seems mulled
In the delicate scent of the

With freedom divine and
I exult in the glories of
For I feel that all's real in
scenes ideal,
And forget that I'm only a

Then street noises invade
pictures, which fade,
And the view into masonry
At high walls I stare through
noon glare,
And—my summer vacation
—[Brooklyn

CHIEF PIAROTE DEAD.

EL PASO (Tex.) Aug. 13.—
Piarote, chief of the Pueblo
Indians at Yuleta, died today.
Chief' Piarote was a noted
his tribe was once
wealthiest and most advanced
West.

Our Reduced Prices on
Buttercup
Spoons
One of the very best of all
terns made by the GORHAM
VER CO.
6 Tea Spoons $4.2
6 Desert Spoons
6 Table Spoons $12
6 Desert Forks $8.
6 Table Spoons $12
We have the knives—
fancy pieces to match—
is sold at the same close
Each piece is engraved
a 3-letter monogram.
Montgome
Sign of the BIG CLOCK
Spring and 3rd

Shop closes at 1 o'clock today

$3.5
OXFORDS for men; most
proved styles, in a variety
choicest leathers—inclu
tan Russia Calf.
Wetherby-Kayser Sh
215 S. Broadway, Los Angeles

Cut Glas
that is hand polished and
retain its luster is the
glass you want to buy.
market is glutted with all
of cheap, inferior glass, that
neither brilliancy or color.
have the three best makes
glass on the market—Cl
Hawkes' and Eggington's
our prices.
J. G. DONAVAN &
Jewelers and Silversmiths
245 South Spring

The Print Shop
CLOSE at one o'clock
Come this morning
select a picture for
beach home at half price.
Ford Smith and Lit
330 South Broadway

L. A. Optica
Leading Opticians
clans. Removed to
Broadway.

MUNGER'S
LAUNDRY
814-816 S.
.....USE.....
FIG BRA
Evaporated Cream

Clearance Sa
This Week At
CALLIS & COOPE
522 SOUTH BROADWAY

BEST CLOTH
Alfred Benjamin's latest
productions. Prices only
JAMES SMITH
137 South Spring

FRANK B. LONG
Unequaled in tone

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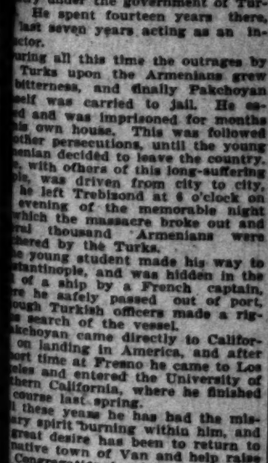

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der present conditions Mr. Pakan cannot go back to Van; but he be allowed to go to Urumah, is in Persian territory, and there is a Presbyterian mission , and as soon as he may he inte to cross the border to his native and engage in mission work in Congregational school, backing goes to show the wonbroadening in church comity fellowship of one denomination another. Pakchoyan will go out Los Angeles under the direction General Mission Board of the byterian Church; he will travel ney furnished by the Methodist ch, to which denomination he beand his ultimate destination is gregational school.

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ough the kindness of a Methodist soldier at Long Beach, who prefers main unknown, most of the means red for this missionary's journey been provided; but on account of possibility of a detour in order to the destination, more money is ed.

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The young student made his way to ... Constantinople, and was hidden in the ... hold of a ship by a French captain, ... by whom he safely passed out of port, ... though Turkish officers made a rig... ...orous search of the vessel.

Pakchoyan came directly to Californ... ...ia, on landing in America, and after ... short time at Fresno he came to Los ... Angeles and entered the University of ... Southern California, where he finished ... the course last spring.

For all these years he has had the mis... ...sionary spirit burning within him, and ... his great desire has been to return to ... the native town of Van and help raise ... a Congregational mission school to ... a higher plane, where it will rank with ... the best of Christian colleges. This ... plan now seems in a fair way to be ... realized.

Under present conditions Mr. Pak... ...choyan cannot go back to Van; but he ... will be allowed to go to Urumah, ... which is in Persian territory, and ... where there is a Presbyterian mission ... school, and as soon as he may he in... ...tends to cross the border to his native ... land and engage in mission work in ... the Congregational school.

Nothing goes to show the won... ...derful deepening in church comity ... and fellowship of one denomination ... with another, Pakchoyan will go out ... from Los Angeles under the direction ... of the General Mission Board of the ... Presbyterian Church; he will travel ... on money furnished by the Methodist ... Church, to which denomination he be... ...longs, and his ultimate destination is ... the Congregational school.

The young missionary's native ... land is that territory lying at the ... foot of historical Mt. Ararat. The ... Turkish Empire of Armenia is so di... ...vided that the eastern and southern ... provinces are under Persian govern... ...ment, the northwestern section is con... ...trolled by Russia and the southwest... ...ern by Turkey.

It is possible that Mr. Pakchoyan ... may have some difficulty in reaching ... Van, as it is reported that Russia ... is turning back parties attempting to ... enter that territory. It will require al... ...most three months to make the trip ... from Los Angeles. Crossing Southern ... Europe to the Black Sea, he will take ... railway at the port of Bartom, and ... thence by rail to Erivan, where ... horses are formed for the long jour... ...ney to Urumah. It is necessary for ... Mr. Pakchoyan to start within a short ... time, as the winter will close down and ... caravans will not be able to make ... their way across the country.

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From August 29 to September 1 the State Congress of Afro-American Leagues will be in session in this city. Besides the local attendance it is estimated that the affair will attract to Los Angeles at least 500 colored people from all parts of the State.

Questions of race interest and plans for race development on industrial, educational and moral lines will be discussed by leaders of the colored people, and plans have matured for an exhibition unique in character, yet timely and stimulative.

This will be a showing of the products and handiwork of the colored people of the State, representing all lines of industry—the arts and sciences. The woman's auxiliary will have a department in which their art work, domestic accomplishments, etc., will have space, and interesting talks will be given on domestic science and kindred topics.

The exhibition is under the charge of J. J. Neimore, the local league president, and his committeemen are C. C. Leake, William Bowers and F. B. Alexander. The woman's auxiliary exhibit is under Mrs. William Robinson, Mrs. D. Bronson and Mrs. D. W. Warner.

A room sixty feet deep on the first floor of the Odd Fellows' building, at Wall and Eighth streets, has been engaged for the exhibit, and C. C. Leake will arrange the exhibit. He was in charge of the colored people's industrial exhibit at Prairie View, Tex., which was visited by President McKinley and so warmly commended by him.

Much interest is manifested in the proposition by the negroes who are engaged in small farming and fruit raising, and the colony at Monrovia and Duarte will make showings of fruits, grains and vegetables that can scarcely be surpassed.

The committee in charge has been surprised and gratified at the general interest expressed in this feature, and believes that it will be able to make an exhibition which will set forth the industrial progress of the negroes of California in a manner not otherwise possible.

The sessions of the congress will be held in the Odd Fellows' building at Eighth and Wall streets, on the floor above the exhibit room. All delegates will be entertained free while in the city, and the woman's auxiliary will serve them with meals at a room in the building.

A public reception will be tendered to the delegates on Tuesday evening, the 29th inst., at which Mayor Snyder will speak and T. B. Morton of San Francisco will respond. Tuesday will be "Woman's Day" at the congress.

Regular sessions will be held all day Wednesday, and on Wednesday evening a concert complimentary to the visitors will be given. The congress of leagues includes California, Washington and Oregon, and several prominent colored speakers will be present.

Booker T. Washington has arranged to attend the National Baptist Convention at Austin, Tex., which convenes on September 14, and he has been invited to extend his visit to the Coast and attend the league congress in Los Angeles. The enormous crowds which thronged to hear him at his last visit here will not soon be forgotten by those who were present.

Probably the best-known Pacific Coast colored man who will be in this gathering is Bishop Abram Grant of the African Methodist Episcopal church. About thirty of his pastors, from all along the Coast, will also be in attendance, as their annual conference will convene in Los Angeles at the close of the congress. James Wilson, editor of "The Cultivator," the first colored men's paper in California, published in San Francisco, will also be one of the speakers.

The Programme Committee is arranging to give much time to a discussion of practical methods for race progress. Colonization schemes will be discussed, as well as mining industries, small farming, fruit packing and conserving, new business avenues, etc.

An important work of this congress will be the gathering of various statistics on the negroes in California, and their various trades and employments. There are now in Los Angeles about 9000 negroes. Pasadena has 500, and there are good-sized colonies at Monrovia, Duarte and Long Beach. Within the past year many negro families have come to Southern California from the Southern States, and it is the aim of the congress to encourage the negro to branch out in all lines of industrial and commercial life.

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BIOGRAPHY.

Whistler.

RECOLLECTIONS AND IMPRESSIONS OF JAMES M'NEILL WHISTLER. J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia.

Although this volume does not pretend to fullness, and although it is an unauthorized life of the great artist, nevertheless it contains a mass of information that throws much light upon the personality and the activities of one of the may well dispute with Abbey the right to be called the greatest American artist. The author of the present work is well qualified to write of Whistler, and he has succeeded in gathering, in a very short time, a remarkable collection of anecdotes and side lights bearing upon Whistler. We need to spare the space allotted to us for a consideration of the subject rather than the treatment of the volume before us, and therefore must refrain from speaking in extenso of the work of the biographer. It is sufficient to say that it is well done and that the volume both in text and illustrations is one that we delight to own. We may rather turn our attention, however, to the contents of the work and give our readers a glimpse of what the book contains.

"For the better part of his life Whistler fought the prejudices of all Europe and of his own country. He once said, with a tinge of bitterness in his tone:

"'The papers of America seem content to publish second-handed whatever they find about me in English journals that is mean, vindictive or that savors of ridicule. Aside from the hopeless want of originality displayed in echoing the stupidities of others, what has become of their boasted love of fair play? Even the phlegmatic Englishman takes the part of a fellow-countryman against many—quite regardless; but the American press, bully like, leans to the side of the bully and weakly cries "Bravo" whenever the snarling pack on this side snaps at the heels of an American who mocks them at the doors of their own kennels.'"

Certainly this is bitterness, and yet Whistler was right in his statement of fact. For years the American press sycophantly followed the lead of Europe, and indeed after the journals of Europe gave the great artist what was his due, the press of America was very slow to recede from the position it had ignorantly taken.

Whistler was often asked to return to America, and to those who urged him he gave the characteristic reply: "It has been suggested many times; but, you see, I find art so absolutely irritating to the people that, really, I hesitate before exasperating another nation."

Whistler came of a family of soldiers. Then, too, it was a family that stood prominently in the annals of the pioneers of the West, for it was his grandfather who founded Chicago. His uncle was the last commander of Fort Dearborn. His father was an engineer of international reputation. With the exception of John Quincy Adams, no American was held in such high esteem in Russia. Whistler was fond of mystifying persons unduly curious concerning his parentage and the place of his birth.

His model once asked him:

"Where were you born?"

"I never was born, my child; I came from on high."

Quite unabashed the model retorted:

"Now that shows how easily we deceive ourselves in this world, for I should have thought that you came from below."

A chapter of the work is given to Whistler's early days in Paris and Venice and on the etchings and lithographs and water colors that he made in those days when the name of Whistler had not yet come to be one that a dealer might conjure with. It is of his life in England, however, that our author writes the most charmingly, and of which the anecdotes are the more abundant. It was in England that most of the work that made Whistler's name famous is to be found, although France was early to recognize his genius and to secure many of his famous paintings and etchings.

Our author has given us some interesting pages upon the art of Whistler and, perhaps, we are not in error when we say that they are among the most discerning of the hundreds of appreciations that have been written upon the product of the artist of whom is this memoir.

The publishers have done their share to make the volume acceptable, and altogether we may say of the volume that it is a delightful piece of biographical sketch work. H. H. O.

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Lord Byron, Hero.

THE CASTAWAY. By Hallie Erminie Rives. Bobbs-Merrill Company, Indianapolis.

Of all books having evil effects, perhaps the worst are those which make vice attractive. Such a one is "The Castaway," a story of the life of Lord Byron. The story covers the time from his travels in Greece in 1810, to his death there in 1824. In it we are told of the story of his marriage and of no less than three of his liaisons, is inclined to pity, then, to applaud, the hero of the tale. Indeed, so strong is the author's power, that one can scarcely, in sober reflection, detect the fallacious working of one's emotions. The book takes its title from Byron's own remark "Three great men ruined in one year, a king, a cad, and a castaway," and the conversation bears the impress of Byron no less than the title, so full is it of his poems and speeches. We cannot but think, however, that in the descriptive text the author need not have strained so much for the poetic, while we are sure, that if one wishes to call a common insect by its Latin name, one should know that it is the "cicada." In conclusion, we must admit that "The Castaway," is, in the main, a well-written book, it is the most interesting we have seen in the last year, and yet, we cannot feel altogether pleased over being pleased by it.

J. M. W. H.

EDUCATION.

Correct Pronunciation.

THE STANDARD OF PRONUNCIATION IN ENGLISH. By Thomas Lounsbury. Harper & Bros., New York.

There has been of late a very marked tendency to depreciate the value of the pronouncing dictionary. Why should anyone look upon a dictionary as being any authority? Why should a man in cultivated society feel himself bound to follow the dictionary if he finds that those around him agree with him in the pronunciation of a given word? We confess that there are few things that seem to us more affected than a pronunciation that is not common suddenly intruded into a conversation when the same word has been pronounced in the usual manner. It seems almost a personal affront. And yet we suppose that we are guilty of a thousand such offenses in conversing with rustics or those from another part of the English-speaking world. Is there after all any real standard of pronunciation in English? Of course the Englishman will be quite sure that he speaks according to the only correct method and his pronunciation is the only one tolerated by cultivated people. It matters not what barbarities he may commit, his confidence in himself is unshaken. It is a part of the English character that it is sure of its pronunciation. But then if we are to determine whether there is any standard of pronunciation we may as well follow the method that Prof. Lounsbury sets forth in the little volume before us, which is in reality a reprint of two articles bearing a similar title that appeared in Harper's New Monthly Magazine last autumn. He very sensibly begins by comparing the attitudes of those who have written pronouncing dictionaries and he finds much to justify his conclusion that there is no absolute standard, that any perfect uniformity is but a dream and that there is a constant fluctuation in pronunciation. We believe that he does much to prove his point. Still he admits that owing to the vogue that several American dictionaries of great merit have enjoyed there is a growing uniformity in America at least and the other parts of the English speaking world seem to be following in the lead of this country. We admit that this seems frightful presumption, at least in the eyes of the Briton, but here again we plead for study of the facts. The few people in England who do not speak some wretched dialect and the large number whose pronunciation is in substantial agreement with their pronunciation living in America, will probably bring about a still greater uniformity but absolute uniformity does not seem desirable even if it were possible. T. R. B.

MORAL THEOLOGY.

A Jesuit's Book.

SPIRITUAL DESPONDENCY AND TEMPTATIONS. By J. Michel. Translated by F. P. Garesche. Benziger Bros., New York.

The author of this useful book is a French Jesuit, who has had very large experience as a spiritual director. The translator is a member of the same order. Both have done good work and we have as the result of their labors an excellent little book on moral theology, which will be of help to many. There has been too much work on similar subjects that has not been based on a truly scientific method. It has been customary among writers of a certain school to base such matters solely upon their own feelings, for they have little opportunity to know the feelings and spiritual experiences of others. The results have been not very encouraging. There has been also too much emphasis laid upon exhortation and appeals to the emotions. Here we have a book based upon the large observations that have come to a priest, in active pursuit of his sacred calling. It is a book that is truely scientific in method because based upon the study of the actual subject matter and there is little left to mere speculation. Then again the book is not an appeal to mere emotion. It is a carefully reasoned out piece of writing and is addressed to thoughtful readers, who would understand the matter. It has been written in the confidence that the simple presentation of the truth so that it may be understood would be of the greatest benefit and would in the end appeal as strongly to the soul as a more passionate appeal and much declamation. The volume is designed for the use of members of the church to which the author and translator belong. That is a matter of course. But we venture the assertion that the book will be found highly edifying, at least in parts, by those who are not members of the Roman Catholic Church. The matters with which the author deals are of universal experience and are of universal interest. The methods by which some of the difficulties are overcome or the amount of help that may be derived from the means he proposes may be questioned by many but the matter is rather one for intelligent appreciation of peculiar spiritual conditions and as such one that is of general interest among those who would understand the character of the spiritual life. R. W.

POETRY.

Good Verse.

A HARVEST OF REEDS. Charles G. Blanden. The Blue Sky Press, Chicago.

Of modern poetry there seems to be no end. Not volume after volume, but volumes after volumes issue from the press and are scattered more or less—usually less—widely through the country. Whether or no writing poetry pays, is a question difficult of solution; whether or no publishing it pays is more easily decided; but as to the activity of muses—genuine or fake—there can be no question.

The pessimist goes up and down the world bemoaning the fact that people no longer care for poetry, but with a list or a partial list of the poetry and verse that has been published during the past five years his statement could be readily refuted. The people do care for poetry—at least those who write it—care for it so much that they are willing to pay in United States currency to have it published, for there is little verse published today except at the expense of the author.

But the remarkable thing is that there is next to none of the verse published that is worthy of issuance. If in the mighty flood of books of so-called poetry we chance upon a work that is other than mediocre we are positively startled. We grasp it up, examine it minutely, and if still it seems to be worth reading we almost hesitate to pronounce it good, lest we err in our critical judgment and make ourselves ridiculous.

Out of the flood of modern verse we have caught up a little volume called "A Harvest of Reeds." It is a very, very small volume, and its contents are annoyingly meager. But within the tiny covers of the work is much that is readable, and not a little that is decidedly good. Mr. Charles G. Blanden does not soar to great heights, but he does soar, and that is much since most of our bards of today trail in the roadway. Of the poet he sings:

Born to the everlasting lyre,
A soul of music and of fire,
Heir to immortal love, to time,
He flings the gage of deathless rhyme.

And of that love he sings:

Let me but sing one song, my dear,
To be remembered by,
Or yet one sweet impassioned line
That shall not die.

And in that song, or in that line,
Let nations see thy name,
If thou share not my glory, love,
I ask not fame.

In the sentiment and the expression of this bit of devotion there is something so far above the "milk-and-water" love songs of the average bard of today that comparison would be unjust to Mr. Blanden. He occasionally suggests other singers, but the suggestion is not due so much to his theme or treatment as to his appropriation to his own use of meters made famous by them.

His Lyric VIII carries with it a hint of Swinburne, though for Mr. Blanden's composition the greater poet can claim no credit on the score of imitation.

If I were Love, my dear,
When I had come to thee,
There would I make my home—
And there my tomb should be.

My quiver and my bow
I'd hang upon the wall,
The arrows, every one,
Into the flames should fall.

No further conquest should
My happy time employ,
For I would make my realm
A satrapy to joy.

And hope should wave a palm,
And fear forget its fear;
These cheeks should gather rose—
If I were Love, my dear.

To those who would have their faith in the lasting reign of the poetic muse strengthened, and who enjoy a dainty feast—though a small one—of poetry, we heartily recommend "A Harvest of Reeds." H. E. B.

FICTION.

An Improbable Tale.

THE PANCHRONICON. By Harold Steele Mackaye. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

Of the pseudo-scientific romance there are two distinct classes. The first is that of Jules Verne and H. G. Wells, in which an extravagant hypothesis is worked out to a logical and inevitable conclusion; the second is that of Mackaye, in which an absurd premise is made to lead, by illogical and foolish steps, to no conclusion whatever. The Panchronicon is a flying-machine, which is made to revolve close about the North Pole in an east to west direction, thereby going backward in time, or from west to east, thereby going forward. We have seen short stories before with this basis, but in them as in their more ambitious but equally futile relative, "The Panchronicon," the International Date Line is always ignored. As to the flying-machine, no attempt is made to explain it, which in view of the general scientific level of the book, is perhaps a good thing. The plot of the story is concerned with the adventures of two women and a man who journey into the Elizabethan age on the "Panchronicon," where a face to face view is given us of Shakespeare, Bacon, and other celebrities. The two women find themselves an integral part of the life of that time, but their companion remains an anachronism. One of them, the heroine of the story, rescues her lover from the Queen's justice by means of their airship and brings him back to the present time with her. Bacon accompanies them, staying long enough in the present age to evolve the Shakspere-Bacon theory, then is taken back to his own time. So much for the plot. The characters are hardly worth speaking of, as the story is meant to be one of adventure rather than of psychology, but we venture to remark, in passing, that a heroine who speaks comic supplement country dialect, good English, and alleged Elizabethan, with equal impartiality, needs more than a Panchronicon to explain her. We think this is one of the novels, which puts the "jaded reviewer" asleep. A. B.

DOMESTIC ECONOMY.

In Re Husbands.

HOW TO COOK HUSBANDS. By Elizabeth Strong Worthington. The Dodge Publishing Company, New York.

This is a new edition of a book which it seems has, by a favorable reception, justified its second appearance. It deals with the philosophy of treating a husband so as to render him continually amenable to all the demands of connubial happiness. The author claims to have found the inspiration of her idea in a recipe written by a Baltimore lady. It began as follows: "A great many husbands are spoiled by mismanagement. Some women go about it as if their husbands were bladders, and blow them up; others keep them constantly in hot water; others let them freeze, by their carelessness and indifference. Some keep them in a stew, by irritating ways and words; others roast them; some keep them in pickle all their lives. Now it is not to be supposed that any husband will be good, managed in this way—turnips wouldn't, onions wouldn't, cabbage-heads wouldn't, and husbands won't; but they are really delicious when properly treated.

"In selecting your husband you should not be guided by the silvery appearance, as in buying mackerel, or by the golden tint, as if you wanted salmon. Be sure to select him yourself, as tastes differ. And, by the way, don't go to market for him, as the best are always brought to your door."

While the author is supposed to be working out the reflections occasioned by this recipe, she is also considering the merits of Randolph Chance, and questioning if she can venture to try the experiment of her theories upon him. The final illustration indicates that he was submitted to the process, and evidently found it agreeable. There is much sharp study of human nature in the book and a certain measure of telling wit, though by no means justifying the assertion on the cover that there has appeared "nothing so funny since 'Helen's Babies.'" In fact we are forcibly reminded of certain pulpit orators who take a striking text and then proceed to preach a sermon that is undeniably correct as to its doctrine, but not a whit more remarkable in style than it is original in conception. Really the best part of this essay is, in our estimation, the recipe which serves for her text; and we hope that the author's account of how she cut it out of a newspaper is a bit of fiction, very appropriately placed at the head of many truths that are worth recalling, though by no means strange. J. R. L.

VERY BRAVE.

Papa (at head of stairs:) Bessie tell that young man that it's half past ten.

Young Man: Thank you, sir, and if it's not too much trouble, I wish you'd let me know when it's a quarter to twelve.

ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, AUG. 12.

Steamer Fulton, Capt. Panser, from Bowen's Landing.
Steamer Alcatraz, Capt. Carlson, from Greenwood.

SAILED—FRIDAY, AUG. 12.

Schooner Ruby, Capt. Korthe, for Port Bandon.
Schooner Alex T. Brown, Capt. Johnson, for Bellingham.
Steamer Coquille River, Capt. Sanford, for San Francisco.
Schooner Wilbert L. Smith, Capt. Ross, for Everett.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

FRIDAY, AUG. 11.

Barkentine Aurora, Salt Lake wharf.
Barkentine S. G. Wilder, Crescent wharf.
Barkentine Retriever, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Nokomis, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Dunsmuir, E. K. Wood wharf.
Schooner Fearless, E. K. Wood wharf.
Schooner Salvator, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Cecilia Madsen, So. Pacific wharf.
Schooner Forrester, So. Cal. wharf.
Schooner S. T. Alexander, S W. wharf.
Schooner Albert Meyer, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Addie Miller, Crescent wharf.
Bark Haydn Brown, Outer Harbor.
Ship Wray Castle, Outer Harbor.
Schooner Caroline, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Schooner Lucy, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Schooner Taurus, Southern California wharf.
Steamer Fulton, Southern Pacific wharf.
Steamer Alcatraz, So. Cal. wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Schooner Transit, from Aberdeen.
Schooner H. H. Buhne, from South Bend.
Schooner Excelsior, from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Ludlow, from Port Gamble.
Schooner W. F. Witzman, from Port Ludlow.
Schooner Mary E. Foster, from Port Blakeley.
Steamer Bonita, from San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer Signal, from Marshfield.
Steamer Prentiss, from Eureka.
Steamer Scotia, from Bowen's Landing.
Steamer Fulton, from Bowen's Landing.
Steamer Shasta, from Greenwood.
Steamer Samoa, from Caspar.
Steamer Pasadena, from Eureka.
Schooner Nelson, from Port Hadlock.

SCHEDULED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

French ship Asia, from Antwerp, out 190 days.
German ship Bertha, from Antwerp, out 161 days.

TO LEAVE—SATURDAY, AUG. 13.

Schooner Nahcomis, Capt. Nilson, for Gray's Ludlow.
Schooner Nokomis, Capt. Nilson, for Gray's Harbor.
SUNDAY, Aug. 14.—Steamer Bonita, Capt. Preble, for San Francisco and way ports.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Barkentine Northwest, from Port Hadlock.
Steamer Bee, from Eureka.
Schooner Volunteer, from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Lizzie Vance, from Port Ballard.
Schooner Bangor, from Portland.
Schooner G. W. Watson, from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Lyman D. Foster, from Port Blakeley.
Schooner Ethel Zane, from Seattle.
Schooner J. M. Coleman, from Port Gamble.
Schooner Ester, from Port Ballard.
Schooner Olga, from Columbia River.
Schooner Mabel Gale, from Portland.
Schooner Melrose, from Everett.
Schooner Wm. Renton, from Portland.
Schooner Winslow, from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Jennie Stella, from Astoria.
Schooner Mahukona, from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Alice McDonald, from Columbia River.

The steamers Cabrillo and Hermosa make regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island, touching at both Avalon and Camp Cabrillo, and return.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Saturday, Aug.	13	10:48 a.m.	4:27 a.m.
		10:49 p.m.	4:12 p.m.
Sunday,	" 14	11:34 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
		5:07 p.m.	5:57 p.m.
Monday,	" 15		5:47 a.m.
		12:20 p.m.	6:30 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 16	12:29 a.m.	6:33 a.m.
		1:14 p.m.	7:14 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 17	1:34 a.m.	7:24 a.m.
		2:18 p.m.	8:01 p.m.
Thursday,	" 18	2:55 a.m.	8:28 a.m.
		3:33 p.m.	10:35 p.m.
Friday,	" 19	4:22 a.m.	9:51 a.m.
		4:43 p.m.	10:48 p.m.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, AUG. 12.

Launch Borcich, Capt. Borcich, from Catalina Island with 1200 pounds of barracuda.
Launch Victoria, Capt. Falconi, from Catalina Island, with 250 pounds of barracuda.
Launch Columbia, Capt. Mascolo, from Catalina Island, with 500 pounds of barracuda.
Launch Advance, Capt. Dimock, from Catalina Island, with 500 pounds of barracuda.

SAILED.

Ten sailboats of the fishing fleet for the fishing grounds, and returned with 2000 pounds of fish for local wholesalers.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 8 miles.

The steamers Fulton and Alcatraz arrived at this port today. The former with 11,300 ties and 3,300 posts for the Pacific Electric, came from Bowen's Landing. The latter is from Greenwood with 250,000 feet of lumber for the Southern California Lumber Company.

The schooners Alex T. Brown and Ruby, and the steamer Coquille River sailed this afternoon for the North. The Brown goes to Pellingham, the Ruby to Port Bandon, and the Coquille River to Crescent City, via San Francisco. All will reload with lumber for this port.

PARAGUAY PORTS CAPTURED.

BUENOS AYRES (Argentina) Aug. 12.—It is rumored that the Paraguayan insurgents have captured the ports of Humaita, Villa Pillar and Concepcion. They also are said to have taken the steamer Villa Rica, which had on board the Minister of the Interior. The Minister escaped.

Famous Hotel Sold.

The Girard Hotel of Brownsville, Pa., the oldest hotel in the United States west of the Allegheny Mountains, and which has been in continuous service, furnishing entertainment for man and beast, for over a hundred years, was sold by the Sheriff of Fayette county last week to satisfy a mortgage. It was purchased by Attorney A. P. Austin for $16,000.

While not the first hotel built this side of the Alleghenies, the Girard is without doubt the oldest in point of service. It was built in 1800, and just four years ago this summer celebrated the centennial of its establishment. In the more than a century that has passed since it was first erected the hotel has been in constant service. It has changed hands frequently, but has always been a favorite place for travelers to stop.

In the old days of the National Pike it was a famous hostelry. Brownsville was then the head of navigation on the Monongahela River. The only route from Washington and Baltimore to all the vast domain that lies west of the Monongahela River Valley was through Brownsville. At least that was the direct road and one of the most traveled. Governors, Senators, Congressmen and travelers of every kind and description, journeyed that way and made the old Girard House their stopping place. Andrew Jackson was a guest there. So was Henry Clay. Gen. Lafayette was entertained at the Girard, and a host of others whose names are familiar in American history. Jackson was a frequent guest at the house, and always insisted on having the best Monogahela rye whisky the valley could produce.—[Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Real Estate Operators.

The Times Real Estate Number, to be issued early in August, will be designed for distribution among homeseekers, settlers and tourists. Those desiring advertising space in it should consult the Business Office early, as only a limited amount of advertising will be received for it. The "Liner" rate will be 2 cents a word.

High-class Carriage Repairing.

Painting, trimming. Headquarters for rubber tires. Parrot Carriage Mfg. Co., 10th & Main.

ONE of the interesting articles in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday will be a graphic description of some of the glories of Yellows one Park by George W. Burton.

THE present conditions in Cuba will be faithfully described in an article by Frederic J. Haskin, in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday.

FRANK G. CARPENTER'S letter in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday will relate an interview with Speaker Cannon which will be of interest to Democrats and Republicans alike.

DR. VAUCAIRE'S Bust Developer, $1, Sun Drug Co. (Dean's.) 2nd and Spring sts.

Public Advertising.

ORDINANCE NO 9779.

[New Series]

An Ordinance declaring the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles to establish the grade of Echo Park Road from Sunset Boulevard to Avalon street.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Los Angeles to establish the grade of

ECHO PARK ROAD,

from Sunset Boulevard to Avalon street, as follows:

At the intersection with Sunset Boulevard the grade shall be 296.00 at the northeast corner, and 297.35 at the northwest corner, as now established on Sunset Boulevard.

At a point on the west side 87.50 feet north of the north line of Sunset Boulevard the grade shall be 297.09.

At a point on the west side 433.02 feet north of the north line of Sunset Boulevard the grade shall be 296.05, and 295.00 at a point on the east side opposite thereto.

At the intersection with Scott street the grade shall be 415.00 at the southeast and northeast corners as now established on Scott street, 413.50 at the southwest corner, and 414.39 at the northwest corner.

At the intersection with Grafton street the grade shall be 413.39 at the southwest corner and 413.34 at the northwest corner.

At a point on the east side 53.14 feet north of a point opposite the northwest corner of Grafton street the grade shall be 421.00.

At a point on the west side 56.52 feet north of the northwest corner of Grafton street the grade shall be 421.00.

At the intersection of the easterly line of Echo Park Road with the westerly line of Morton avenue the grade shall be 425.00.

At the intersection with Delta street the grade shall be 425.42 at the southwest corner and 426.34 at the northwest corner.

At a point on the west side 53.72 feet north of the northwest corner of Delta street the grade shall be 428.00 and 428.00 at a point on the east side opposite thereto.

At a point on the west side 494.97 feet north of the northwest corner of Delta street and at a point on the east side opposite thereto the grade shall be 434.00.

At the intersection with Lucretia avenue the grade shall be 441.65 at the southeast corner, 442.39 at the northeast corner, 441.79 at the southwest corner and 442.38 at the northwest corner.

At a point on the west side 121.17 feet north of the northwest corner of Lucretia avenue the grade shall be 446.00, and 445.00 at a point on the east side opposite thereto.

At the intersection with Effie street the grade shall be 455.29 at the southwest corner and 452.25 at the northwest corner.

At the intersection with Silver Plate the grade shall be 466.77 at the southwest corner and 467.74 at the northwest corner.

At the intersection with Avalon street the grade shall be 481.00 at the southwest corner and 481.00 at the southeast corner.

And at all points between said designated points the grade shall be established so as to conform to a straight line drawn between said designated points.

Elevations are in feet and above a plane which is 255 feet below City datum plane.

Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance and shall cause the same to be published for ten days in the Los Angeles Daily Times, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting of August 1, 1904.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.

Approved this 2nd day of August, 1904.

M. P. SNYDER,
Mayor.

8-5-14 20t

Notice—Civil Service Examinations.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 30th, 1904.

In accordance with Section 17, Civil Service Rules and Regulations of the City of Los Angeles, notice is hereby given that a competitive examination will be held on Saturday, the 13th day of August, 1904, beginning at 9 o'clock a.m. at Turnverein Gymnasium, in the City of Los Angeles, Cal., for the purpose of examining applicants for admission to the eligible lists for classifications and divisions as designated below:

Div. B, Class 4, Patrolmen, Police Dept.
Div. C, Class 1, Captain, Fire Dept.
Div. C, Class 3, Driver, Fire Dept.
Div. C, Class 4, Hosemen, Fire Dept.
Div. L, Class 34, Surgeon's Nurse, Police Dept.

Said competitive examination will include tests of proficiency in reading, writing, spelling, arithmetic, knowledge of the duties of the several positions named, general and specific questions tending to fit the applicant for each position; physical health; muscular strength; soundness and acuteness of faculties; personal habits; moral character and such qualifications as may affect the capacity of persons to be examined to discharge the duties of positions which they seek. Applicants must appear in person at the office of the Civil Service Commission not later than eight days before the date fixed for the examination, and file, under oath, an application in form prescribed by the Commission, blanks for which will be furnished on request.

By order of the Board of Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK J. THOMAS,
Secretary.

W. A. SPALDING, Secretary. 7-30 8-12 16t

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles up to 11 o'clock a.m. of Monday, August 15, 1904, for furnishing all stationery certain rooms in the City Hall, according to plans and specifications on file with the architect therefor, John C. Austin.

A certified check, drawn to the order of H. J. Lelande, City Clerk, in the amount of 10 per cent. of the amount bid, must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract with the City in conformity with his bid.

Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Council of the City of Los Angeles.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.

8-4-12 16t

Notice to Bridge Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles up to 11 o'clock a.m. of Monday, August 22nd, 1904, for the construction of an overhead crossing at the intersection of Pasadena avenue and Sunset boulevard, according to plans and specifications on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City. Bidding blanks and information as to work to be done may be obtained from the office of the City Engineer.

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H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.

8-4-12 16t

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles up to 11 o'clock a.m. of Monday, August 22nd, 1904, for the construction of fences along the line of the outfall sewer in course of construction, between the City and the Pacific Ocean, according to specifications on file with the undersigned, copies of which may be had upon application.

A certified check in 10 per cent. of the amount of bid, payable to the order of H. J. Lelande, City Clerk, must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract with the City in conformity with his bid.

Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Council of the City of Los Angeles.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.

8-12-22 10t

Public Advertising.

Notice of Sale of an Oil Pipe Line Franchise.

Office of the City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles, California, August 1st, 1904.

To whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the City Council of the City of Los Angeles for a certain franchise granting the right to construct and lay down, and for a period of 20 years to maintain and operate an oil pipe line along and under certain public streets of the City of Los Angeles.

And that it is proposed by said City Council to offer for sale and grant to the highest bidder said franchise on the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned.

That said franchise is described as follows, to wit: A franchise to construct and lay down and for a period of 20 years to maintain and operate an oil pipe line along and under the streets and portions of streets in said city, described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Vermont avenue and First street; thence along First street to Rosemont avenue; thence along Rosemont avenue to Temple street; thence along Temple street to Victor street; thence along Victor street to Bellevue avenue; thence along Bellevue avenue to Beaudry avenue; thence along Beaudry avenue to Alpine street; thence along Alpine street to Figueroa street; thence along Figueroa street to New Depot street; thence along New Depot street to College street; thence along College street to Main street; thence along Main street to Redondo street; thence along Redondo street to Magdalina street; thence along Magdalina street to Bloom street; thence diagonally across Bloom street to a point opposite lot 16 of the Rancho La Ballona Tract; thence by private right of way to a point in Leroy street, opposite the termination of St. James street; thence along Leroy street to St. James street; thence along St. James street to the Los Angeles River.

And during said period of 20 years to carry, conduct and transmit crude petroleum oil through the said pipe line, together with the right to construct and maintain all such traps, manholes, appliances and attachments as may be necessary for the purpose of safely and efficiently operating and maintaining said pipe line.

That the terms and conditions upon which said franchise will be offered for sale and granted are the following:

That the pipe to be laid and maintained under said franchise shall be 8 inches in diameter; that said pipe shall be regular lapwelded steel line pipe, shall be of sufficient strength to withstand a pressure of not less than 1000 lbs. per square inch, and shall be laid with tight joints which shall be made so close as to withstand a pressure of 1000 lbs. to the square inch without leaking.

That said pipe line shall be laid at all points not less than two and one-half feet below the established grade of the streets under which said pipe is laid. That all excavations for laying or repairing said pipe line shall be done in such manner as not to interfere with the free use of the streets by the public except such temporary interference as may be necessarily incident to the proper prosecution of said work. That all excavations shall be made and refilled in conformity with the ordinances of the said city, which may be in force at the time of the performance of said work, and that the grantee of this franchise, or his assigns, shall make good any defects that may appear in said refilling for the space of six months after the completion of said work, and that the grantee of this franchise, or his assigns, shall pay for the cost of repairing any defects that may appear in said refilling for the space of six months after the completion of said work.

That the grantee of this franchise, or his assigns, shall pay to the City Treasurer as may be from time to time required by the Council of said City, for the purpose of inspecting the construction of all streets to a good and perfect condition along said excavations.

That there shall be traps or manholes constructed along the line of said pipe at intervals of not more than ten blocks for the purpose of affording access to said pipe for the cleaning or maintenance thereof; said traps or manholes to be so capped and covered as to be flush with the street and not to interfere with any street traffic that may be used for travel or traffic; that said pipe shall never, at any time, be subjected to a pressure of more than five hundred pounds to the square inch, and that the City Engineer, or any of his duly authorized deputies, or the City Boiler Inspector, shall have the right, at all times, to inspect the pumping machinery that is used for the purpose of forcing oil through said pipe, and to measure or ascertain the pressure to which said pipe is being subjected at the time of such inspection, and that if, at any time, said pipe shall be subjected to a pressure exceeding five hundred pounds to the square inch, the franchise herein granted, and all rights thereunder, shall be forfeited.

That in the event that a change of grade, the laying of any sewer, or the making of any other improvements in any of the streets along and under which said pipe may be laid, shall, in the opinion of the Street Superintendent of said City, render necessary any change in the position of said pipe, the grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, shall shift or move the same at his or their own cost and expense, in conformity with the instructions and to the satisfaction of the said Street Superintendent, and in case the said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, shall fail to comply with the instructions given therefor by said official, for ten days after service of said instructions upon the said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, or upon the manager or agent of said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, in Los Angeles, by the said official, may do the work required in said notice to be done, and keep an itemized account of the cost thereof, which said grantee and his or its successors and assigns, by the acceptance of this franchise, agree to pay immediately upon its being presented to said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, or to such manager or agent in Los Angeles.

That a certified check, drawn to the order of H. J. Lelande, City Clerk, in the amount of 10 per cent. of the amount bid, must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract with the City in conformity with his bid.

Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Council of the City of Los Angeles.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.

8-4-12 16t

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By order of the Council of the City of Los Angeles.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk.

8-12-22 10t

Public Advertising.

by said City Council to the ... therefor in gold coin of the ... Each sealed bid must be ... cash or a certified check ... Treasurer of the City of Los ... full amount of said bid, and ... will be considered unless said ... is enclosed therewith, and the ... der must deposit, at least, ten ... amount of his bid with the City ... said franchise will be struck off ... if he shall fail to make such ... diately, his bid will not be ... will be considered as void, and ... will then and there be again ... to the bidder who shall make the ... bid therefor, subject to the same ... as to deposit as above mentioned, ... secure will be had until said ... struck off, sold, and awarded to ... shall make the necessary deposit ... ten per cent of the amount of ... herein provided. Said successful ... deposit with the City Clerk, within ... four hours after the acceptance ... the remaining ninety per cent of ... thereof, and in case he or it ... then the said deposit thereto ... be forfeited, and the award of ... will be void, and said franchise ... and there, by said City Council ... offered for sale to the highest ... for, in the same manner and ... restrictions, as is hereinbefore ... case said bidder fails to deposit ... Clerk the remaining ninety per ... within twenty-four hours after ... the award to him of said franchise ... aside, and the deposit thereto ... him will be forfeited, and no further ... ings for the sale of said franchise ... until the same shall be finally ...

Notice is also hereby given, that ... cessful bidder for said franchise ... five days after the award to ... him, or it, the with the City Clerk ... running to said City in the penal ... thousand dollars, with, at least, ... and sufficient sureties, to be ... said City Council, conditioned that ... der shall well and truly observe, ... perform each and every term and ... said franchise, and that in case of ... of condition of said bond, the whole ... of the penal sum therein named ... and deemed to be liquidated damages ... shall be recoverable from the said ... sureties upon said bond. If said bond ... so filed, the award of said franchise ... set aside, and any money paid ... be forfeited.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk of the City of Los ...

8-1-12 22t

ORDINANCE NO 9778.

[New Series]

An Ordinance declaring the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles to establish the grade of Western avenue between Washington street and Twenty-first street.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Los Angeles to establish the grade of

WESTERN AVENUE

between Washington street and Twenty-first street, as follows:

At the intersection with Washington street the grade shall be 197.40 at

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remaining ninety per cent. of the
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rfeited, and the award of said franchise
be void, and said franchise will be
there, by said City Council, re
ed for sale to the highest bidder
in the same manner and under the same
ditions, as hereinbefore provided, and
said bidder fails to deposit with the
the remaining ninety per cent. of his
in twenty-four hours after its award
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will be forfeited, and no further pay
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franchise, and that in case of any br
condition of said bond, the whole amo
the penal sum therein named shall be
deemed to be liquidated damages,
l be recoverable from the principal
ties upon said bond. If said bond is
filed, the award of said franchise will
aside, and any money paid thereto
forfeited.

H. J. LELANDE,
City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles.
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ORDINANCE NO 9780.
(New Series)
n Ordinance declaring the intention of
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establish the grade of Adams street
npton avenue to Nevin avenue.
The Mayor and Council of the City of
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ADAMS STREET
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and 297.58 at the southeast corner, o
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and at all points between said
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H. J. LELAND,
City C
Approved this 2d day of August, 19
M. P. SNYDE
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ORDINANCE NO 9778.
(New Series.)
An Ordinance declaring the intention of
layor and Council of the City of Los A
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alk from Washington street to Twenty-fi
reet, between Western avenue and Hermo
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The Mayor and Council of the City
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WESTERN HEIGHTS WALK
ven Washington street to Twenty-first
tween Western avenue and Hermosa
follows:
At the intersection with Washington
e grade shall be 197.60 at the southwest
and 197.57 at the southeast corner.
At the intersection with Twentieth
e grade shall be 202.80 at the northwest
southeast corner and 201.65 at the
reet corner.
At the intersection with Twenty-first
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and 202.09 at the northeast corner.
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Approved this 2d day of August, 19
M. P. SNYDE
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Notice to Sewer Contractors.
Sealed proposals for the construction o
roposed Storm Sewer in Eleventh
reet, Magnolia avenue and
tween Arapahoe street and Magnolia
om Pico street to Eleventh street
ceived at the office of the City Clerk
ty of Los Angeles, California, up
Monday, August 15th, 1904, at
All bi
st be on forms furnished by the City
st be accompanied by a certified
awn to the order of the City Clerk
City of Los Angeles, for five per
r cent. of the amount of the bid. No
reserves the right to reject any or all
sals. Profile, Detail Drawings,
, may be seen at the office of the
ngineer. Prints of the Plans, Profile,
tail Drawings, forms of Proposal,
d Bonds, and copies of the Specifica
be delivered to prospective bidders
ceipt by the City Engineer of $1. Bid
er is required to make personal exam
the ground in which the sewer is to
nstructed.
ines and approximate lengths of the
ollow:
406 ft. of 42-in. brick sewer.
1452 ft. of 36-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
709 ft. of 24-in. vitrified pipe sewer.
74 ft. of 12-in. vitrified pipe (catch-b
74 ft. of 36-inch vitrified pipe (catch-b
2 ft. of 24-in. vitrified pipe (catch-b
60 ft. of 18-in. vitrified pipe (catch-b
48 ft. of 12-in. vitrified pipe (catch-b
Each bid shall be placed in a sealed
addressed "H. J. Lelande, City Clerk,
eles, California," and endorsed
posals for constructing Storm Sewer in
reet, Twelfth street, Magnolia avenue
ley between Arapahoe street and
venue from Pico street to Eleventh
Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 4th, 1904."
H. J. LELAN
City
8-14 10t

Notice Inviting Proposals for Lo
a Streets of the City of Los A
Sealed proposals will be rec
the City Clerk of the City
ngeles up to 11 o'clock a.m.
August 22nd, 1904, to light the streets
ity for the period of one year
anuary 1st, 1905, in accordance with
ations thereto, adopted by the Council
said City on August 1st, 1904, and
e office of said City Clerk.
Bidders will be required to file with
d a certified check drawn to the
H. J. Lelande, City Clerk, in the
00.00, as guarantee that the bidder
er into a contract and give bond
proper fulfillment of the contract, as
said specifications.
Council reserves the right to reject
l bids.
By order of the City Council.
H. J. LELA
City
8-13 10t

Notice Inviting Proposals to
the City of Los Angeles With
Notice is hereby given that sealed
ed by the City Clerk of the
es Angeles up to 11 o'clock a.m.
August 15th, 1904, for the furnishing
f Los Angeles of thirty tons of coal
ry, to be delivered at the police
ty, to be delivered at the police
id City at such times and in such
on at a time, as may be ordered by
of Police.
A certified check, payable to the
Lelande, City Clerk, in the sum
ust accompany each proposal or
hat the bidder will enter into a
the City in conformity with his bid
Council reserves the right to reject
l bids.
By order of the Council of the City
ngeles.
H. J. LELA
City
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BIBLE LESSONS.

FOR SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OTHER BIBLE STUDENTS.

Prepared for the Times by J. S. Kirtley.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14.

I Kings, xviii 1-16: Obadiah and Elijah.

CONNECTION.

While Elijah was being cared for the land was being parched and the people starved. The average annual rainfall was sixty inches. For three years and a half there was not a drop of rain. The writer of "Kings" mentions only the whole years, while James (5:17) names the fraction of a year. It is simply impossible to imagine the effect of such a prolonged drought on that oriental country—the burned vegetation, waterless springs, starving and disheartened people, some repentant, some sullen. Our attention has been fixed on Elijah and what he was doing all these years. What was Ahab doing? Hunting for Elijah, as Obadiah says to him in this interview. When at last every drop of water and every spear of grass was gone and Ahab was about to lose his horses and cattle, he and his chamberlain went out searching in remote places for water and grass. It was on that search that both of them met Elijah.

THE LESSON.

Elijah Seeking Ahab. 1-6.

(1.) And it came to pass after many days, that the word of Jehovah came to Elijah, in the third year, saying, Go, show thyself unto Ahab; and I will send rain upon the earth. (2.) And Elijah went to show himself unto Ahab. And the famine was sore in Samaria. (3.) And Ahab called Obadiah, who was over the household. (Now Obadiah feared Jehovah greatly: (4.) for it was so, when Jezebel cut off the prophets of Jehovah, that Obadiah took a hundred prophets, and hid them by fifty in a cave, and fed them with bread and water. (5.) And Ahab said unto Obadiah, Go through the land, unto all the fountains of water, and unto all the brooks: peradventure we shall find grass and save the horses and mules alive, that we lose not all the beasts. (6.) So they divided the land between them to pass through it: Ahab went one way by himself, and Obadiah went another way by himself.

It was at the command of God. Had not Elijah prophecy the famine, and He alone could authorize the cessation of rain. "The word of the Lord" in the usual way of saying.

It was after the purpose of the famine had been accomplished. The fact is indicated in the words, "after many days" and "in the third year," of the visit with the widow of Zidon. The duration of the famine was to punish Israel for establishing the worship of Baal and there is evidence that they were beginning to regard Baal and Ashtaroth as mere figments. They were ready to turn, to the Lord, or were ready to turn, to the prophets. It was much more important to Israel to become righteous than to have the land grow characters than crops. Israel was a little grass may grow still. He seems to have been starved, and sent Obediah out to search of some secret perennial spring, where a little grass may grow still. He seems to have been starved, and sent Obediah out by himself.

Obediah, 7-15.

(7.) And Obadiah was in the way, and, behold, Elijah met him: and he knew him, and fell on his face and said: Is it thou, my lord, Elijah? (8.) And he answered him, It is I: go, tell thy lord, Behold, Elijah is here. (9.) And he said, Wherein have I sinned, that thou wouldest deliver thy servant into the hand of Ahab, to slay me? (10.) As Jehovah thy God liveth, there is no nation or kingdom, whither my lord hath not sent to seek thee: and when they said, He is not here, he took an oath of the kingdom and nation, that they found thee not. (11.) And now thou sayest, Go, tell thy lord, Behold, Elijah is here. (12.) And it will come to pass, as soon as I am gone from thee, that the spirit of Jehovah will carry thee whither I know not; and so when I come and tell Ahab, and he cannot find thee, he will slay me: but I, thy servant, fear Jehovah from my youth. (13.) Was it not told my lord what I did when Jezebel slew the prophets of Jehovah, how I hid a hundred men of Jehovah's prophets by fifty in a cave, and fed them with bread and water? And now thou sayest, Go, tell thy lord, Behold, Elijah is here, and he will slay me. (14.) And Elijah said: As Jehovah of hosts liveth, before whom I stand, I will surely show myself unto him to-day. (15.) So Obediah went to meet Ahab and told him. And Ahab went to meet Elijah.

Obediah had confidence and so had Elijah. The verses following show how Elijah flung the charge of troubling Israel back into Ahab's teeth and proposed the fire test, by which it could be shown that Baal, the son of God, was a mere vanity.

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

Elijah was a very lonely man. He dwelt in the solitude of the desert. He was lonely and lordly, for his loneliness made him to know God so well and to trust Him so fully, that he became godly in his life and lordly in his actions and words. He was alone when he suddenly appeared before Ahab, and he was suddenly retired into solitude after delivering his message.—[Barker.

If I have read his character correctly, he delighted in activity, more especially when there was added to it the exciting element of danger. Hence, as the eager warrior hastens to the battlefield, Elijah was positively attracted to the conflict that was before him, the rather as he recognized in it the opportunity of his life, when, as the servant of Jehovah, he should be able to strike a decisive blow at the Baalism of the court and the indifferentism of the country.—[Taylor.

We see from all the books of the prophets that they were personally identified with their predictions; that they were held responsible for them, were even regarded in popular apprehension as having actually brought about things which they predicted.—[Farrar.

Some of us today are apt to think that we would be religious if our circumstances were more favorable. But so-called unfavorable circumstances are often misnamed, and it may even be that they tend to deepen our religion by calling out a bracing temper of resistance. Some vegetables are not ready for eating till they have had a touch of frost. Flowers may grow best on a dung heap, and the religion which is deepest, the characters which are most saint-like, have generally been nurtured and molded in times of moral corruption and godlessness.—[Maclaran.

POINTS TO IMPRESS.

1. That all material trouble should turn us to spiritual realities.
2. That in obeying God courage comes easy.
3. That even wicked men can recognize some of the values of God men.
4. That everyone who speaks for God must be willing to be held accountable for his words.
5. That, even in the midst of evil, we may fear God and do right.
6. That boldness is a safeguard.
7. That plain speech is best for all.
8. That one with God is always a majority.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

THE PROVING OF A SOLDIER.

Terse Comments on the Uniform Prayer-meeting Topic of the Christian Endeavor Societies, the Baptist Young People's Union, the Epworth League, etc., for August 14: "Obeying When Obedience Is Hard."—[Gen. xxii, 1-8.

By William T. Ellis.

The Japanese have been giving some brilliant exhibitions of patriotic obedience when obedience meant death For every desperate endeavor to bottle up Port Arthur there were many more volunteers than were needed. Some men wrote in their own blood petitions to be permitted to offer their lives for Japan. Every heart that contains any red blood has been thrilled by these incidents from the East, illustrating the glory and heroism of obedience to the uttermost. For obedience is glorious and heroic. There is no higher honor or success possible to a human soul than to have been obedient in all things to highest, hardest duty

Obedience is the child's first lesson, and it is the sorest test that comes to the maturest life.

Easy obedience is not primarily obedience to the law of duty, but conformity to the law of desire. To do what we want to do calls for no loyalty to right; it is simply the expression of our own pleasure. Small credit to use when we manifest this sort of obedience. The test comes when we do what we ought is hard. Then obedience proves himself, and only then can we know whether or not we truly are obedient. Because to fail to obey in the time of testing is to fail utterly to manifest the spirit of obedience.

Souls reach their stature and strength by the difficult duties they do willingly.

Great crises are not needed to demonstrate whether a person possesses the high spirit of duty-doing; every day affords such an opportunity. There is no day without its task which we would not rather omit than perform. This may be of the humblest nature—a particular form of housework or of disagreeable social obligation. Nevertheless, the spirit with which we undertake it proves whether we are loyal to the supreme law of obedience. And the glory of bravely, promptly and cheerfully facing and fulfilling such a homely duty is as great in God's eyes as the glory of riding fearlessly to death on an obstruction ship into the mouth of Port Arthur harbor.

Convictions are the backbone of character. The man who knows how to stand by his conceptions of duty is the highest development of manhood. The hope of every nation is the men and woman who dare to be true to their convictions, whatever the cost. These are they upon whom the world counts, and upon whom God counts. The vacillating, fearful, self-seeking souls, who know no master save convenience and comfort, are not pillars, but burdens, to society and the State. They have never learned that to obey is the highest duty and privilege of the human spirit.

Obedience is its own best reward.

No man ever obeyed God at a net loss. Yet there is no profit in obeying simply for the sake of reward.

So nigh is grandeur to our dust,
So near is God to man,
When duty whispers low, "Thou must,"
The youth replies, "I can."
—[Emerson.

Obedience is more than the means of felicity; it is that felicity.—[Vinet.

A patriot is only as loyal as he is when patriotism means suffering and loss; a Christian is only as obedient as he is when God calls him to obey with sacrifice.

Great faith is proved by great obedience. Abraham obeyed God; so did all the long line of heroes of faith whose names adorn the eleventh chapter of Hebrews. That obedience made them great in God's sight. Only a few of them were great as the world counts greatness, but by an obedience to the uttermost they won God's fadeless laurel.

Happy is the man who has been tested, for he alone can be sure of himself. "I always feared that I was a coward," said a man not long ago, "but within this last year I have been called upon to meet a severe test of moral courage and another test of physical courage. Now I feel richer than a man with a fortune in the bank, for I know that I am not afraid. In the consciousness that I can endure physical torture without whimpering, and that I am not afraid of the face of man, I can go anywhere among my fellows, and be sure that whatever the emergency, I am equal to it. As Henley's pagan poem put it—

"'I thank whatever gods there be
For my unconquerable soul.'"

A deep truth is hinted at in this man's testimony. Only the man who has been put to the test truly knows himself. So Abraham, after the proposed sacrifice of Isaac, was on new terms of confidence with God. He was sure, God was sure, of his obedience. The person who has obeyed, in a difficult duty, and at great cost to himself, possesses a sweet assurance which is in itself agreat reward.

"Obedience," says Robertson, is the organ of spiritual knowledge."

Advertising journals are constantly agitating the evils of "substitution," as practiced by unscrupulous dealers. And substitution is one of the evils of the moral life. Men attempt to put one virtue in place of another. Thus they would make alms-giving, or praise of religion, do duty for personal rectitude. Church-going is substituted for individual righteousness. King Saul tried this with disastrous results. The Lord told him to slay the Amalekites and their spoil. Instead he used part of the latter to offer a burnt offering to Jehovah. Then came the word of doom to him through the voice of the prophet Samuel. "Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams."

CHURCH SERVICES.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14.

VINCENT METHODIST EPISCOPAL Church, 29th near Main. The pastor, Rev. George A. C. Keogh, will preach morning and evening tomorrow. Take Main or Maple-ave. cars to 29th. 12

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN, 36W. 36TH near Main. Rev. W. S. Young, D.D., pastor. Services as usual, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. 12

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH, NEW chapel, 416 E. 21st st., Maple-ave. cars direct; Main st. or San Pedro cars two or three blocks. D. A. Wagner, minister. Preaching Lord's day 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; conference and testimony meeting, 4:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p.m. 12

CENTRAL AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL Church, corner 28th st., N. L. Rowell, D.D., pastor. Morning, Rev. D. D. Hill of Pasadena will preach; evening, pastor's theme "The Cleansing of Naaman." 12

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Hope st. near 9th; seats free. Rev. William Horace Day, pastor; Rev. Warren P. Day, D.D., pastor emeritus. Take W. 9th-st. or traction cars to Hope st. Morning service, 11 o'clock, the pastor emeritus will preach. Evening service, the pastor will preach. 14

MAGNOLIA AVE. CHRISTIAN CHURCH (meeting in Henderson's Hall, Union ave. and 23rd st.), Jesse P. McKnight, pastor. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.; church service, 11 a.m., sermon by the pastor; evening services adjourned on account of the Long Beach Christian Convention. 13

SECOND UNITED PRESBYTERIAN Church, Washington and Santee sts, Rev. Henry W. Crabbe, pastor. The Rev. J. W. Ballantine of India will preach at 11 a.m. Evening service at 7:30 p.m. 13

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Figueroa and 20th sts., Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage, D.D., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rev. J. Boyd, D.D., will preach at both services. Take Washington or University cars to Figueroa and Washington and walk one block south, or Grand-ave car to 20th st. and walk one block west. 13

IMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner of 16th and Figueroa sts. Rev. Hugh K. Walker, D.D., the pastor will preach tomorrow at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Subjects: Morning, "The Plank in One Platform That Cannot be Omitted;" evening, "The Man and the Mob"—reflections suggested by a recent visit to the city of Ephesus. 12

GOSPEL TABERNACLE CHURCH, 274 S. Spring st., J. Hudson Ballard, pastor. Regular services, 3:45 p.m., Bible-school, 11 a.m.; preaching by Rev. W. C. Stevens of Syracuse, N.Y. 13 PARCE.

PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, 81st st. and Normandie ave., take University and Daly-st. car to 21st st. Preaching by Rev. F. H. Mallows, 11 a.m. "Will God's Truth Succeed." 7:30 p.m. "The Futility of the Ostrich's Trick." 12

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, 737 S. Flower, Rev. Joseph Smale, pastor, will occupy his own pulpit both morning and evening. Morning theme, "Christ and the Church;" evening, "The Merits of His Children." All are invited.

REV. WILL W. LOGAN, PASTOR UNITED Presbyterian Church, 9th and Hill. Sermon in the morning by Rev. S. S. Chapman, and evening service.

Real Estate Operators.

The Times Real Estate Number, to be issued August 27, will be designed for distribution among homeseekers, settlers and tourists. Those desiring advertising space in it should consult the business office at once. No advertising will be received for it after August 17. The "Liner" rate will be 2 cents per word.

FRANK G. CARPENTER'S letter in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday will relate an interview with Bryan, whose views will be of interest to Democrats and Republicans alike.

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The Santa Fe Railroad Says

That there are 15,000 people in Chicago alone waiting for the reduced rates to Southern California commencing November 15th. It is said that fully one-half of

THESE PEOPLE WILL BUY HOMES HERE.....

This means that these ideal home sites will increase in value by December 50 to 75 per cent. They are worth the increase today, but we will sell the remaining lots at our original prices as low as

$250 for Half-Acre Lots

No interest, no taxes, no water charge during the year 1904. After that the water system is your own.

4-Room Cottage and One Acre $1,000

All the conveniences of FREE MAIL DELIVERY and telephone service on the Tract.

One of the pumping-plants and 7000 gallon tank—a part of the system of artesian wells, reservoirs and piping on to every half acre, a gift to the purchasers in which all have an interest, producing an abundant water supply for irrigation and domestic uses.

Always in the Lead

And what's more, always followed. The whole town is after us. That's our case exactly. There are a thousand reasons why they should be. Here's some of them,

The Result of Our Recent Eastern Purchasing Trip.

Summer Suits

On summer suits our prices are so thin, that they make our customers fat. Today while they last we're selling everything in the house at ..... Half Price

Summer Shirts

A man's linen should be his pride. It's the thermometer of his taste, which marks him high, middling or low, according to the facts. Today we're selling EVERY COLORED SHIRT in the house at BIG REDUCTIONS, but all our broken lines of $1.25 shirts go at 75c

Men's Neckwear

Our neckwear of all sorts carries style, quality and comfort to the top point. Today we're selling 200 dozen of regular 50c values. All styles and colors for 25c

Straw Hats

We reflect the fashions in hats that are prizes in values and surprises in prices.

All $5.00 Straw Hats today for.....$4.00
All $4.00 Straw Hats today for.....$3.00
All $3.00 Straw Hats today for.....$2.00
All $2.50 Straw Hats today for.....$1.50
All $1.50 Straw Hats today for.....$1.00

See Our 15 Show Windows.

Desmond's

CORNER THIRD AND SPRING STS.

$3.00 SOFT AND STIFF HATS, TODAY, ON SPECIAL SALE FOR $2.50

NEW GERMAN CHURCH.

House of Worship at Twelfth and Hope Streets to be Dedicated Tomorrow.

The new house of worship of the German Evangelical Church at Twelfth and Hope streets will be dedicated tomorrow. The ceremonies will mark the acquirement of a property worth over $30,000, free from debt.

In the morning the services will be conducted by Bishop Thomas Bowman of Chicago, and will be in German. In the afternoon there will be union meeting of the various German churches of the city. In the evening the services will be in English and Bishop Bowman will preach. There will be special musical features.

The new church cost about $15,000. The new parsonage cost $2800. For the site, which was purchased a few months ago, $14,500 was paid. The church has a capacity for seating 500. Several Sunday-school rooms are conveniently arranged. There is a commodious basement with numerous accessories.

New Way of Keeping Cool.

At the beginning of the year a collector of government stamp duties, who was a native of the North of France, was appointed to a post in the Department of the Var. Finding the climate of the South much too hot for his taste, he endeavored to keep himself cool during the recent torrid days by slipping up to his armpits in water in a large wine barrel placed behind his desk. In this strange guise he received the people who came to pay stamp fees.

The public treated the matter as an excellent joke, but a couple of days ago an inspector of stamp duties arrived on the scene unexpectedly, and was so scandalized at finding the official transacting business without his coat that he promptly suspended him pending a report to the government.—[Paris Figaro.

Kahn's Klothes Fit.

LAST WEEK OF THE SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

An unreserved clearance of high-grade clothing, hats and furnishings. Thousands of dollars' worth of this season's choicest wearables, all guaranteed at that, at prices which no one who values money can resist.

SPECIAL PRICES TODAY

457 SOUTH BROADWAY

Out Go All Summer Suits

Men's $12.50 outing suits.....$ 7.50
Men's $13.50 and $15 all wool summer suits.....8.75
Men's $15 pure worsted.....10.00
Men's $17.50 and $20 summer.....13.50
Men's $25 fine suits.....14.90
Young men's $10 worsted.....5.95
$5.00 Paragon pants.....$3.85
$6.00 Paragon pants.....4.75
$7.50 Paragon pants.....5.75
$4.00 fine worsted pants.....2.75
$5.00 fine worsted pants.....3.75
$6.00 fine worsted pants.....4.50
Men's $5.00 fedora hats.....1.45
Men's $4.50 fedora hats.....1.95
Men's $3.00 fedora and stiff hats, including No Name Stetson.....2.50

All Suits bought of us pressed free of charge for one year.

REMEMBER—All Suits Bought of Us Pressed Free of Charge for One Year.

KAHN'S 457 SOUTH BROADWAY

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Drink Mayflower Beer and enjoy the best brew that the science of modern brewing can produce. Pure, wholesome, healthful—Mayflower Beer satisfies the thirst and aids digestion these warm days. Sold in bottles only.

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EASTERN Compounds difficult prescriptions of all kinds filled. San Drug Co. (3 stores.)

San Bernardino, Orange and Riverside Counties.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

DEADLY THIRST OF THE MESA.

SAN BERNARDINO COUPLE FACE DEATH IN FIERCE HEAT.

Traveling Across Great Broiling Plain With Little Water They Deny Themselves Precious Liquid so Children May Have it—Officers After Counterfeiters.

SAN BERNARDINO, Aug. 12.—Stephen Gagnos and his wife and two children have returned from an outing in the mountains after having had an awful experience, facing death on two occasions from thirst.

They had gone to their ranch at Hesperia the early part of the week, and from there started across the mountains for Deep Creek, supposing that they could follow the trail. The road leads across a great mesa, an arm of the desert, and across this the trail is completely obliterated.

After wandering many hours, they realized that they were lost. They had but a quart bottle of water, which was but half filled, and this was sparingly given to the two children, who cried constantly for it. Gagnos and his wife, though suffering intensely from thirst, denied themselves even a drop from the bottle, lest they should rob the children.

They sank exhausted, after succeeding in reaching the Hesperia Land and Water Company's ditch, and after an hour's rest, continued toward Deep Creek, afraid to leave the ditch.

Two days later they left Deep Creek for Hesperia, believing that as it had rained the previous day, the mesa would retain the footprints of the pack animal which a party camping near them had taken out. Reaching the mesa, their first experience was repeated, with even greater horrors, as they had less water, and rattlesnakes were frequently met.

All day they tramped aimlessly, their tongues being swollen, the parents carrying the two children on their backs, as the latter were exhausted long before help arrived, when they were supplied with water, and guided to their destination.

Mrs. Gagnos shows plainly the frightful ordeal through which she has passed.

AFTER COUNTERFEITERS.

The officers are in search of a gang of counterfeiters, who are known to have been operating in this vicinity for the past two weeks. Last night the first positive clew was reported when a newsboy notified the police that he had received a bogus dollar from a Mexican, who had bought a paper. The officers were soon on the fellow's trail and chased him across lots to the dense willows southwest of town, where he easily made his escape. Several whites have been under suspicion, and the theory of the officers is that a well-organized gang of Mexicans and whites is made up of the counterfeiters. The coins so far collected are made in a plaster mold, and are very crude.

DUSKY WOMAN "PROMOTER."

Mrs. Pope is a colored woman, who claims to be possessed of riches, and is devoting her time and fortune to upbuilding the negro race. Last night she caught many people here. She represents that she is owner of the United Copper mining Company of Tucson, Ariz., "capitalized at $6,000,000; that there are 120 mines in the group, ninety of which are developed and income bearing. She sells shares in the company at 25 cents a share, only colored persons of good standing being purchasers. Last night she talked her mine to a large number of colored people, who met for the purpose at the City Hall, and many bought stock, her money sack being weighed down with the coin she collected.

She says she is on her way to Washington, invited by Booker Washington, who writes that the pupils in his school have contributed several hundred dollars for stock.

"I have all the money I want myself," explains the woman, "but I want to place this great opportunity in the way of my race, that they may gradually be elevated."

SAN BERDOO BRIEFS.

Joseph Dempsey, a rancher, drove into a ditch left unprotected at the corner of Base Line and C by the contractors installing the municipal water system, and badly damaged his wagon last night, and he announces that he will bring suit for damages. Accidents of this nature have been of almost nightly occurrence since work on the water system was begun, the contractors not being forced to expose danger lanterns at their ditches.

Ex-Senator E. C. Seymour of Highland, was suddenly stricken with illness, while attending the Republican County Convention, yesterday afternoon, and was removed to the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Curtis, where he is still confined, though much improved.

The case brought against T. A. Blakesley by E. L. Whittington to collect $623.64, alleged to be due for medical services rendered by Dr. F. W. Steddom, has been transferred from the Los Angeles Superior Court to the local court.

SQUAD TAKES GUARDSMAN.

Enters Cyclery of Boss Who Is Said to Have Offered Insult to Flag.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Aug. 12.—The flag incident, which has kept this community in a stir since last Saturday, when C. W. Richardson, a prominent business man of the town, was reported to have indulged in a tirade against "Old Glory," and sworn that if his employé, Clyde Pierson, attended the military encampment at Atascadero, in San Luis Obispo county, he would be discharged, reached a crisis here this morning.

A squad of militiamen under orders from Capt. Gazzolo of Co. K, N.G.C., filed into the Richardson cyclery and took Pierson into custody. He was taken before the commanding officer and informed that he would go to camp either as a prisoner or of his own volition, as he might choose.

A threat has been made to raise the flag over the Richardson Block, and the owner, wearied at the rumpus which he has provoked, has announced his willingness to permit the Stars and Stripes to fly from the roof top and from every window, though he now denies he ever uttered the harsh things about the flag which he is quoted as having said.

MOUNTAIN STORMS AND CLOUDBURSTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

REDLANDS, Aug. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Heavy rains have been falling in the San Bernardino Mountains since early this morning. Reports received at 6 o'clock this evening state that a cloudburst much heavier than the two previous ones has taken place at Mill Creek and that one of the dams there has been washed out.

A heavy downpour has taken place at Filaree Flats. One hundred and fifty inches is running in Mill Creek and 2500 inches in the Santa Ana. The water is thick and muddy and it will be several days before it will be fit for domestic use.

It is reported the road is washed out between here and Mill Creek Cañon and a stage that should have come through to Mentone by 6 o'clock tonight from Forest Home has not been heard from.

HIS WIFE WITH "HOLY JUMPERS."

ALABAMA MAN IN RELENTLESS PURSUIT AT REDLANDS.

She Says She's "Child of the Lord" and Refuses to go With Him, but He Will Follow Freaks from Place to Place With His Story—Narrow Escape from Drowning.

REDLANDS, Aug. 12.—A band of people calling themselves "The Holy Jumpers" have been in the city for a fortnight, holding meetings in a tent a few blocks from the center of the city, but receiving little attention even from the curious element that is often attracted by such outlandish proceedings. Last night one R. B. Hinton, claiming residence in Birmingham, Ala., arrived and asked a policeman to accompany him to the tent and assist him in an effort to get an audience with his wife, who left him over a year ago to join this freak outfit. He claims to have been searching for her ever since and to have followed every set of "jumpers" that he has heard of in that time, in an effort to locate her.

The woman consented to see her husband in the presence of the officer, but would not consent to return to him, saying she is now a sanctified child of the Lord and is called to worship Him in the way He points out. Although wearied with his pursuit, Hinton says he will not give up his wife, and that he will pursue these "children of the Lord" who have broken up his home, from place to place, and will everywhere not only relate his own sad case, but will also tell other facts that have come to his knowledge, which he claims will prove that the "jumpers" are not what they pretend to be from the standpoints of religion and morality.

TWO NEARLY DROWNED.

Word comes of a narrow escape from death at La Jolla in which the principals were two Redlands women, Mrs. S. Y. Wynne and Mrs. H. G. Evans. They, with other summer residents, were taking their morning dip in the sea, and being able to swim had gone into deep water, where several others were enjoying the exercise. Suddenly, in the midst of the fun, Mrs. Wynne lost her balance and began to sink. With the usual instinctive thought of preservation of the drowning person, she caught hold of the nearest bather, who was Mrs. Evans, and that they did not both dgo to the bottom was due to the immediate aid rendered by those close at hand.

NEW PASTOR.

Rev. George H. Hillerman of Riverside has accepted the call to the pastorate of the English Lutheran Church of this city, extended a few days ago, and will begin his duties in that relation about September 1. Mr. Hillerman follows Rev. E. C. Vierke, the first pastor, who was at the head of the movement that resulted in a new church building, just completed on Olive avenue.

UNDER THE HORSE.

Chester Smith, the 10-year-old son of F. G. Smith of San Timoteo Cañon, was riding down Citrus avenue, and the horse slipped on the car track and fell, with his rider under him. The boy was severely bruised and scratched, but is recovering.

SANTA ANA.

FINE WALNUT CROP.

SANTA ANA, Aug. 12.—The walnut crop of this valley is approaching maturity and picking will probably begin within a month. The crop is of excellent quality and according to various estimates will amount to from 110 to 125 carloads. Last year's crop amounted to only about two-thirds of this quantity. Of this year's crop, about two-thirds of the whole will be shipped through the Santa Ana Valley Walnut Growers' Association, and the remainder, about forty to forty-five carloads, will be handled by independent packers. It is yet too early to predict prices.

JURORS DISAGREE.

The jurymen in the trial of James Sowders, charged with working a horse unfit for service, failed to agree, nine being for conviction and three for acquittal.

IMPORTANT WATER REPORT.

The report of Engineer H. C. Kellogg to the Litigation Committee of the A. U. W. Company and the S. A. V. I. Company contains suggestions of importance to this section if they are carried out. From a careful investigation he concludes that power plants of the type of the Riverside plant materially increase the flow of the streams on which they are placed. In accordance with this finding, he advises that the companies do all they can to have a power canal built along the river for the six miles immediately below the Riverside plant. Engineer Kellogg expects such a scheme to add 2000 inches to the present water supply, which would about double the amount of water now available for irrigation.

ANAHEIM.

WALNUT RANCH SOLD.

ANAHEIM, Aug. 12.—G. A. Hunter has sold his thirty-five-acre ranch in the southeast part of town to Mrs. M. A. Pearson and her son, Atley Pearson, of Los Angeles, for $15,000. The new owners are moving here, and Mr. Hunter will move to Los Angeles. Twenty-five acres is in bearing walnuts. Only a few days ago another Anaheim walnut orchard was sold to W. F. Botsford of Los Angeles for $40,000.

It is announced that a petition will be presented to the City Trustees at their next meeting, asking that a special election be called for the purpose of voting upon the question of closing the saloons. The same proposition was voted upon some time ago, but was defeated, and now the anti-saloon people claim they have a larger vote to support Sunday closing.

C. L. Green has shipped over 1000 crates of raspberries this season from seven acres, which netted him $1.50 a crate. After the last of the crop has been shipped, Mr. Green will grow a crop of winter peas and other late vegetables. Mr. Shelden has also marketed his berry crop at high prices this season.

Banker John Hartung has returned from a month's visit to San Francisco.

Otto Strodthoff has arrived from Jerome, Ariz., to join his family here.

The death of John Rheinberger is announced. He was aged 64, and leaves a widow and three grown children.

The thirteen-year-old daughter of Charles Norman died of quick consumption early this morning. Her mother died of the same disease several years ago.

C. O. Rust and wife have returned from a visit to Skagway.

The Turners will give a picnic at Columbia Grove Sunday. A large number of Los Angeles Turners will participate.

Fritz Ruhiman and neice have returned from a visit to Germany.

A. E. Hendrick has returned to Anaheim, after an absence of twelve years in North California mining districts. He is here on a visit.

RARE LUCK OF VENTURA CITY.

ABUNDANT FLOW OF WATER IN TOWN WELL.

Municipal Ownership of Good Supply Now Considered a Certainty. Southern Pacific to Change to Lighter Rails Between Montalvo and Saugus—More Gas Developed.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Aug. 12.—At a depth of only fifteen feet a strong flow of water has been struck in the town well on Harrison avenue, and it became necessary yesterday to stop work on the well until a pumping plant can be installed to handle the water.

Several years ago the people of Ventura became convinced that it would be a good thing for the town to own its water supply, which is from the Ventura River, and very plentiful in the driest times, although the sources of supply are in the hands of private parties, and it was voted that the waterworks should be purchased.

This was to be affected, of course, by a bond issue. The Ventura Light and Power Company, the corporation supplying the water, had a good thing, and knew it, and naturally did not want to sell. Then came a season of legal quibbling, during which it was held by the Federal courts that the town had the right to buy the water system, but the upshot of which was that the Town Board of that day dropped the project.

Not until the present Town Trustees came into power was there a return of the local municipal ownership party to power. This Town Board went to work in a different way. An option was secured to a lot on Harrison avenue, in the Ventura Cañon, where the conditions indicated a supply of artesian water, and the Town Marshal put his street force to work sinking a well. It was in this well that water was struck yesterday in such quantity that the tools could not prevail against it, and there is every indication that the flow will get stronger as the well is deepened.

Close to the site of this well there are high hills, with any number of reservoir sites available, and a pumping plant can be installed at reasonable cost. For Ventura, therefore, municipal ownership of the water supply can be looked upon a thing of the not remote future.

WILL CHANGE RAILS.

The Southern Pacific is preparing to take up the 80-pound rails and put down lighter iron on the stretch of forty-five miles of track between Montalvo and Saugus. Since the completion of the Chatsworth tunnel in the Santa Susana Pass has opened the short line between Los Angeles and Ventura, none of the heavy freights or through passenger trains are sent via Saugus, only the local passengers and jerkwater freights going that way, and so there is no need of the heavy iron that was put down when the Coast Line was first opened. This relegates the Santa Paula country to a branch line. All that stretch which embraces the best of the producing oil fields of Ventura county, as well as a large part of the farming section, thus goes off the railway map. It is a condition which will not be grateful to the people of that region, who had gone on hoping even against hope that some power would some day give them back the big trains.

MORE GAS.

At a depth of 125 feet, the Ventura Light, Power and Heat Company yesterday struck a flow of 15,000 feet of natural gas in its fifth and last well put down on the company's property about four miles north of town. From the five wells now the company has a flow of about 25,000 feet of gas, and has ordered pipes for laying mains to Oxnard to supply the sugar town with light and fuel. The town of Ventura has already become a great consumer of gas, nearly all of the food cooked here being prepared on gas stoves, and several stores and many residences being lighted with natural gas. The five producing wells of the company are all within a radius of 100 square feet, at a point from which natural gas has been escaping through fissures in the rocks for years, and, of course, this small tract does not represent the entire gas-producing territory of the county. Experts, in fact, are of the opinion that much stronger flows will be struck when the wells are put down farther, and that all the Taylor ranch and the Casitas country will be found to be underlaid with the natural gas strata. At all events, both in Casitas and in several of the cañons fronting the beach on the sea side of the San Miguelito Hills there are jets of gas escaping through rock fissures, a number of these having been lighted by hunters in times past and having been noted to burn with a steady flame until extinguished.

The gas as it comes from the wells here now is practically odorless, comes in a strong and steady stream, and burns with the most intense heat, making an ideal fuel for manufacturing purposes. As to the permanence of the supply, the gas has been coming from the rock fissures near the present wells ever since the first white man came to the country—and very probably it was escaping for untold ages before that. This is the strongest argument for permanence. Geologists, moreover, have said that there is a "fault" along the entire bed of the Ventura River, where the gas wells are, and that owing to this fault the gas has probably been collected into a depression of unknown extent. Development, so far, has but touched the edges of the deposit, as is shown by the fact that gas is observed escaping through natural fissures at such widely divergent points. It is at least five miles from the present gas wells to the places in the Casitas where the gas can be set on fire with a match as it comes from the ground.

SPITE BULLETS AT OXNARD.

JEWELER SHOOTS MAN WHO TAPS ON HIS WINDOW.

Gun Play Believed to Have Been Caused by the Shopkeeper's Terrible Temper — Catholics Now Church Tomorrow With Imposing Ceremonies.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

OXNARD, Aug. 12.—J. M. Wilder, a local jeweler, is under arrest for a gun play in front of his store last night in which he wounded Ascencion Vela, a Mexican.

Wilder, who has an attractive store on that corner, has been greatly annoyed lately by parties standing in front of his show windows and tapping on the glass. When this performance was repeated last night his temper got the best of him and he gave them notice to leave, emphasizing his remarks with a club. One of the injured parties was Vela, who resented the attack and was approaching Wilder in a threatening manner when the latter turned loose at him with a six-shooter.

He fired four shots, one of which passed through the fleshy part of Vela's left hand, breaking one of the bones of the thumb, and making a painful but not dangerous wound.

Wilder was immediately placed under arrest and taken to the County Jail at Ventura. He was laboring under great excitement at the time and many people think he is insane.

This is not the first time he has driven people away from his show window and on one occasion he is credited with having done so with a rifle.

Wilder is a gentlemanly-appearing person, quiet and retiring in his habits almost to moroseness, but he is said to be the possessor of a chain-lightning temper, and this assertion seems to be borne out by his belligerent proceeding last night.

CATHOLICS TO DEDICATE.

Preparations for the formal opening and dedication of the new Catholic Church are about completed and the ceremony is programmed for Sunday next. Bishop Conaty will deliver the dedication sermon and Archbishop Montgomery of San Francisco will celebrate the solemn pontifical mass.

Father J. H. Laubacher and Father John Pujol of Oxnard with other priests of this diocese will assist in the ceremonies.

At the conclusion of the morning services the ladies of the parish will serve a dinner in the classrooms of St. Joseph's Institute, where ample provision has been made for all visitors.

At 2:30 p.m. Oxnard Council, Knights of Columbus, will lay the corner-stone of their beautiful new hall on Fifth street, after which the third degree will be exemplified in Masonic Temple by State Deputy Joseph Scott of the State degree team.

A large delegation of Knights and prominent Catholics will be present from various parts of the State and the occasion will be a memorable one in the history of Oxnard.

OXNARD BRIEFS.

Mayor R. B. Haydock and wife have returned from their visit to the World's Fair.

Mrs. Walter Cather, former resident of Oxnard, is visiting friends here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Crampiin left yesterday for an extended visit to Buffalo.

A Portuguese named Joe Silva was brought in last night from Leonard's ranch, with his arm broken near the wrist. Joe was riding a saddle horse when the latter precipitated him violently to the earth.

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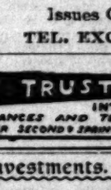

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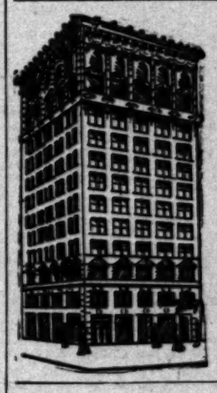

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BRIDE MINUS A HUSBAND AND EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Mrs. M. Martin of Pasadena Anxious to Find Tailor Who Deserted Her Day After Wedding, Taking All Her Cash—Worcester Avenue Extension—Wife Charges Cruelty.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 24 South Raymond avenue, Aug. 12.—Mrs. M. Martin wishes very much to know the whereabouts of her husband, whom she married only a few weeks ago, and who skipped the next day. Mrs. Martin would like to renew the acquaintance of about $800 which was last seen in the company of the unnatural bridegroom. If the story the woman tells is true, she is an outraged bride, and all the tortures of the inquisition would be about 50 per cent. too good for the missing man. The woman has put detectives on his trail and hopes to find him before he has parted with all her cash.

For two or three months Martin has been doing tailor work in the basement of Reed Maryland. He had all the appearance of the house, no rent to pay, and three square meals a day. But he wanted more prosperity and in the latter part of July he married a Los Angeles tailoress who owned a half interest in a thriving shop. At this time Martin left the hotel, saying he was going to take a short vacation. He said he would be back in a week or two, and on the strength of this a lot of suits have been piled up in his shop, waiting to be pressed.

The hotel people didn't know what kind of a suit Martin had been pressing with such success until his bride found the other day with a hard-luck story. It looks as though Martin had been cutting something out of whole cloth and that his work is a thing of beauty. Mrs. Martin says he promised great things for the future on the strength of which she sold out her business interests in Los Angeles. Martin knew of a fine opportunity in Pasadena for the tailoring business in which he sent her to the place, and had already secured her $800, left for San Diego, saying that he would buy some fixtures, etc., for their shop and would join her immediately.

Mrs. Martin waited in Mexico in vain. She said the bridegroom cometh not. At last she thought he might have met with foul play and after days of anxiety and no word from him, she scraped together enough money to buy a return ticket, visited Martin's acquaintances who were unable to throw any light as to his whereabouts and she has become convinced that she had been buncoed. It is said the man is known in New Orleans for having worked the same sort of game with a

Martin was a man about 45 years of age, medium hieght and wears a mustache. He is of a very unassuming manner and his appointment of his new wife has surprised those who knew him. She is about the same age as Martin and was a widow. She had her own children to bring up and supports an invalid brother. Martin's twenty years securing the affections which the man who promises love and cherish her managed to hold in about twenty minutes. Not the widow's mite.

WORCESTER AVENUE.

Next to the rejoicing of property owners along Worcester avenue. A sigh of relief is to be breathed by the members of the Board of Education, Council and citizens of Pasadena. The following resolution, drafted by City Attorney Willett, is to be presented to the School Board at a special meeting this morning and will undoubtedly be passed:

Resolved, That the president and secretary of this Board of Education and they are hereby, authorized and directed to execute, acknowledge and deliver a grant to the city of Pasadena of the land to be taken for the opening of Worcester avenue, northwards to Walnut street at such price as shall be awarded by the commissioners appointed by the City Council to take charge of said extension, with the action of this board hereto fixing a price on said land and the same is, rescinded."

The street improvement which has been a bone of contention for many months will now probably materialize. The first offer of the board to buy the property to the city for the extension of 13500 was considered high and was turned down. The plan to have the property condemned by the city has not met with favor and now comes the resolution which it is hoped will solve the difficulty. The hitch in the way is that Mr. and Page of the board feel that it is wrong for the board as custodians and trustees of the property to allow the matter to pass entirely out of their hands and into the hands of commissioners appointed by the City Council, who may vote a price of $1 for the property. It is probable that the ordinance will be amended in such a way that the committee will be appointed by the joint action of the Board of Education and a like number of the City Council.

SUIT TO WIFE CHARGED.

Suit was filed yesterday by Mrs. L. Hellman for divorce from J. E. Hellman on the ground of cruelty. It is the man who has been a disturbing factors in the Lodge recently. He also figured prominently by going into bankruptcy, getting extensively into debt, owing to the accusations of his domestic conduct is of the complimentary character as his publication accuses him of striking his wife in the face and breast, kicking her black and blue in her face, and adds that he threw her out of the house, locked the door and refused to let her enter. It is alleged he spiced up these occasions with swearing and the calling of vile names. The charges have preferred somewhat similar charges against Breitenstein, the policeman.

CITY GETS THE PARK.

At a meeting this morning at a special meeting of the City Council President C. D. Willett formally presented Tournament Park to the city, with the proviso that the city pay off an indebtedness of $600. Negotiations have been going on for several days and at last the matter has been closed up. The Tournament of Roses association reserves the right to occupy the park on January 1 of each year. The park is valued at about $15,000 and will be improved.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Concerning Stickney Memorial Hall Miss Sloan says: "Mr. Stickney, Throop and I have agreed to maintain it along the lines of the art department, it must be known as the Stickney Memorial building, must be insured for at least $5000, must be rebuilt if it is ever burned, and must be kept fresh and attractive in appearance. Possession will be given October 1, when Miss Fannie Sterrett will move her art classes and equipment into their new home.

The Civic Committee and Board of Education have selected August 22, 7:30 p.m., as the date for a meeting of the heads of families of the school district in the Y.M.C.A. building for the purpose of deciding on a bond issue, and the purchase of one or two school sites to be built on.

Miss Bertha Benedict, leading soprano in the First Methodist Church, has resigned, her resignation to take effect September 1. She is to be married to Alpheus Lockwood of Iowa.

The merchants have arranged a busy programme for the morning of their picnic day at Santa Monica, August 18. There will be boys' races, married and unmarried men's races, races for men fifty years of age or over, boys' potato race, girls' lemon race, three-legged race, fat men's race, sack race, tug-of-war, with prizes in all events, and a handsome prize will be given the largest family represented. In the afternoon there will be a baseball game, the north siders against the south siders. The picknickers have gotten out a red button with red and white ribbon, which will be the badge of the day.

Prof. E. Irvine-Jordan died yesterday at No. 516 North Marengo avenue. He was a distinguished scientist of England.

Peck, the man who was associated with Simons in the cruelty-to-animal cases, yesterday pleaded guilty before Judge Congdon and was fined $50. There are several other cases against the men which will likely be dismissed.

The fire department was called to the People's Pride Laundry on South Fair Oaks avenue for a small blaze that resulted from a gasoline explosion.

About forty members of Co. I left yesterday afternoon for Henry Ranch, San Luis Obispo county, where they will go into camp until August 28.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Metcalf of No. 825 North Raymond avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Stella, to Herbert Stuart Knapp of Nebraska, the wedding to take place August 31 at the home of the bride's parents.

Robert Newstadt of Los Angeles was arrested yesterday for speeding his automobile two weeks ago. He put up $15 as surety for his appearance.

William Dall, an employé of Contractor Shearer, was gathered in yesterday by Humane Officer De Biron. He deposited $50 as a guarantee that he would appear Monday to answer to the charge of cruelty to animals at Arcadia last April.

Remnant sale at Bon Accord for ten days. We will sell all kinds of remnants at one-half of regular price.

Pictures framed at Wadsworth's.

Fine stationery at Leonard's.

LORDSBURG.

COME TOO LATE.

LORDSBURG, Aug. 12.—News was received today from Charleston, Ill., announcing the death in that town of Silas Barnes, which occurred on Wednesday. Mr. Barnes came here a few years ago for his health, but too late to be of any benefit. Realizing that the end was near he sold his property here and returned to his old home accompanied by his mother, wife and child, who were with him when he died, only a few days after reaching home.

Revs. J. C. Hixson, the new pastor for the Progressive Brethren Church, has arrived from Kansas, and will preach Sunday.

C. D. Nelson, formerly the manager of the San Dimas Citrus Union, has been appointed local manager for the California Citrus Union, with headquarters at the packing-house of that company in San Dimas.

H. Clair is about to erect a handsome residence on his orchard property in La Verne.

WHITTIER.

MINOR MENTION.

WHITTIER, Aug. 12.—Work on Philadelphia street is being pushed, a large force removing the surplus earth and lowering the grade to the surveyed level. In some portions nearly four feet of earth will be removed, much of which is finding its way to the lower lots of the city. The aspect of this street, which is the one over which the Pacific Electric enters the city, has long been an eyesore to the people of this city, and there is general rejoicing that the work, which has been held up for some months by irregularities in the city ordinance pertaining to it, is at last under way.

Mrs. L. Scofield and daughters, who have been spending some time at Long Beach, have returned to this city, Mrs. Scofield, who was one of the victims of the Los Nietos trolley wreck about four months ago, having so far recovered as to walk a few steps by the aid of a cane. Specialists state that it will take from six months to a year longer before a complete recovery is possible.

George H. Berry of Cleveland, O., and Miss Harriet L. Wood, niece of Prof. Glasby of Thompson's Hotel, were married here yesterday, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Will A. Betts at the Methodist parsonage.

POMONA.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

POMONA, Aug. 12.—A party composed of Misses Belle and Mildred Cowdery, Misses Pearl and Mabel St. John of Whittier, and Messrs. J. Wilkinson, C. F. Bowen and Fred Charles, has gone on a camping trip to San Gabriel Cañon. Mrs. J. W. Cowdery accompanied the party as chaperon.

Rev. Dr. Shepherd and wife, the Misses Rhorer and Miss Webb are sojourning at Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Roberds and daughter have returned from an extended eastern trip, having gone on business connected with settlement of Mrs. Roberds's father's estate.

S. Arbuthnot and wife, Mrs. D. Arbuthnot, the Misses Arbuthnot, Miss Mary Parker and Mrs. W. McNaughton have gone on a camping trip to Lytle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hiner of Chicago were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard Jess last night.

J. M. Booth and family are at Long Beach.

RIVERA.

BRIEF ITEMS.

RIVERA, May 12.—The Baptist Y. P.U. had a pleasant meeting last night in Groton's Hall.

Mrs. Elizabeth Osburn, youngest daughter of Mrs. S. P. Graves, arrived at Dr. Osmun's yesterday, from Newark, N. J. Mrs. Graves's condition is still critical.

Mrs. Perris of San Bernardino is the guest of the Misses Burke.

Esther Gooch reached home yesterday from her trip East.

Maude Gilman reached home Wednesday from a trip to Denver.

Capt. J. L. Groton and wife are spending a few days at Long Beach.

TWO MORE DIE FROM POISON.

SAN PEDRO PTOMAINE LAID TO CANNED BEEF.

Mrs. Manes and Her Mother, Mrs. Copeland, Succumb, and a Child is in Critical Condition—Everything Possible Done for Destitute and Unfortunate Family.

SAN PEDRO, Aug. 12.—Two more deaths have resulted from the ptomaine poisoning in the Manes family. In addition to the death of Nathaniel Copeland, the brother of Mrs. Manes, which occurred Tuesday, Mrs. Manes died yesterday afternoon and her mother, Mrs. Copeland, this morning. A little daughter, aged 10 years, is also dangerously ill as a result of eating the poisoned food. The doctors now think the article which caused the sickness and deaths was canned beef and not the canned tomatoes, as was at first supposed. The entire family partook of the meat more or less, and other deaths may occur. The family is destitute, but everything possible is done by the physicians and the good people of San Pedro.

The meat which is supposed to have caused the poisoning was purchased in Elsinore Sunday morning.

MAN BUTTS WALL.

Louis Johnson, a sailor on the schooner Ruby, while punching a bag this morning in Haggermann's saloon received a peculiar and serious injury. He seemed to get tired of using his hands, and concluded he could do as well with his head. At the first effort he missed the bag and all but knocked the wall of the saloon out. Dr. McCord was called and pronounced the man suffering from concussion of the spinal column, and advised that he be sent to the hospital at Los Angeles for treatment.

THROUGH THE HATCH.

William Dose, a sailor on the schooner Elick T. Brown, while closing down the after hatch preparatory to sailing for the North, missed his footing and fell to the bottom of the hole, twelve feet, and sustained serious internal injuries. He was conveyed to the hospital for treatment.

CATALINA ISLAND.

DOINGS BEYOND CHANNEL

AVALON, Aug. 12.—John Murset, president of the Sand Dab Club, with his son and R. D. Middleton, demonstrated to a certainty this morning that the sand dab is still with us. Murset was discovered marching down Crescent avenue holding one end of a string some yards in length, his son at the other end, filled with the little flat fishes that are so relished by epicures, while Middleton brought up the rear with another string that almost pulled his arm out of joint.

Col. R. A. Eddy and party of friends took fifty-eight albicore this morning in less than two hours of actual fishing.

W. C. Colson of Fresno, along with Boatman Chapple, brought to gaff a 370-pound jewfish in fifty-five minutes.

The pastor, Rev. Charles W. Williams, will preach in the Congregational Church Sunday morning. In the evening there will be a number of brief addresses, including one by Miss Dennis, who has been lately addressing the Long Beach Assembly.

George Michaelis with his nephew and niece, Nick and Miss Kate Egan of Kansas, this morning took sixteen yellowtail.

Frank V. Rider and Henry and Luther Newby caught ten yellowtail this morning.

George Farnsworth's friends arranged to give him a birthday surprise party Wednesday evening, but Farnsworth hearing of it concluded to fool them and went out on his launch. When the party arrived at his camp it was vacant, and there was nothing to do but go home. They did not propose to give up and last night they again arranged to surprise him. He again fled to his launch, but the party procured another and chased him until he was captured, when they landed on Pebbly Beach and had a good time. Following were those present: Jessie Farnsworth, Hawley Farnsworth, Daisy Luck, Margret Grant, Vina Nuss, Lulu Smithe, Lulu Herchey, Josephine Moll, Edith Cornelius, Anna Ruckenbrod, Frank Sandycock, Bert Mackey, Paul Smithe, Harry Allen and Will Burton.

"The Avalon Wireless," published under the auspices of The Times, is now issued on the island daily, being sold on the streets between 7 and 9 a.m. The feature of the sheet is that it contains a full summary of the whole world's news, including foreign dispatches, taken from The Times each morning and transmitted by the wireless service of the Pacific Wireless Telegraph Company, reaching the island each morning between 4:30 and 5 a.m., complete. Newspapers from the mainland do not arrive at Avalon before noon; thus "The Wireless" gives to persons on the island a wireless bulletin concerning what has transpired throughout the world during the preceding day five hours before they can get the full details from The Times which arrives on the noon boat.

Subscriptions for The Times or for "The Wireless" can be left at the Catalina Novelty Company.

SANTA MONICA.

URGING FOR BONDS.

SANTA MONICA, Aug. 12.—As this city is to vote Tuesday next on the proposal to bond the city in the sum of $220,000, the City Trustees were called upon at the Municipal League meeting last night to explain the uses to which the money derived from the bonds was to be put. Of the proposed bond issue besides providing for public parks, fire houses and sewer improvements there is an item of $150,000 for a municipal water system. In a signed statement Trustee W. S. Vawter, chairman of the Finance Committee, explains that the Trustees are considering plans which provide for a complete water system, providing for a sixteen-inch main to supply six-inch mains throughout the city. The plan embraces a plant with a pumping capacity of 2,000,000 gallons per day, with 200 fire hydrants and a 2,000,000-gallon cement reservoir.

Water-bearing lands in close proximity to the city are available and will furnish 200 inches of water. Mr. Vawter says that upon the bond issue depends the future of the city, as water must be had, for a fire-fighting apparatus and engines are valueless without an ample supply of water. The parks are of no benefit without water, the fire hydrants are not needed and the sewer is of no value without water for flushing purposes. He asks the people to vote for a water system.

MAY ANNEX EASTWARD.

While there is a campaign in the south end of town having for its object the partition of Santa Monica, there is to the east a counter move looking to the annexation to Santa Monica of the rich section lying east of the present city limits at Seventeenth street to and including the Sawtelle community.

What elements are behind the proposed annexation are not apparent on the surface although two petitions are in circulation and are receiving signatures at Sawtelle. Their purpose is to learn the consensus of opinion of the residents of Sawtelle.

One petition is being signed by those who favor annexation to Santa Monica and the other by persons who are in favor of the incorporation of Sawtelle as a sixth-class city on its own account. The majority will favor independent self-government, as the town has a population in excess of 1000 and feels the lack of a guiding head.

SANTA MONICA JOTS.

Coroner Trout deemed an inquest not necessary in the case of the suicide of Alexander Bandini, whose remains were given interment yesterday afternoon in Woodlawn Cemetery.

At a well-attended meeting of the Municipal League last night the organization placed itself on record as indorsing the action of the City Trustees in calling the bond election. This election is to be held next Tuesday and considerable depends upon its result. If the bonds carry, the campaign for city division will unquestionably be deferred for a time.

The fine new Carnegie free public library building was formally opened for the inspection of the public last evening. The Military Band executed a select programme and the place was the scene of a merry throng until a late hour. Punch was served and a harpist charmed with gay music.

The ship Carnarvon Bay sailed yesterday morning for Portland, Or., with a 1200-ton cargo. The German ship Speke, now undergoing extensive repairs at this port, was surveyed yesterday. She was badly whipped on her trip across the sea and the Llewellyn Bros. of Los Angeles have just concluded extensive repairs.

Members of the Woman's Alliance of Unity Church came over from Los Angeles by special car yesterday and were entertained by Mrs. Ira B. Smith of No. 1115 Second street.

A. W. McPherson is at Arcadia, where he was called by the serious illness of his mother.

Pasadena Elks took full possession of a Southern Pacific train this evening and came to Santa Monica in a body. The occasion was a love feast over the mystic clock.

Local Knights of Columbus initiated seven candidates last night. On Sunday two dozen of them will join the Columbian excursion to Oznard.

TROPICO.

LOCAL NOTES.

TROPICO, Aug. 12.—The Prohibition Alliance held an enthusiastic meeting at G.A.R. Hall. Several interesting speeches were made. The next meeting will be held in Glendale.

Thomas Clarke returned from his mining claims near Acton bringing very fine Indian relics, arrowheads, morteroes and pestles, which he unearthed while digging on his property.

Misses Helen and Lela McWhorter are the guests of Miss Adalaine Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Wilson will occupy J. D. Botts's cottage on San Fernando road during Mr. and Mrs. Botts's absence in the East.

AZUSA.

PERSONAL MENTION.

AZUSA, Aug. 12.—J. H. Shindler, general manager of the Pacific Electric Company of Los Angeles, spent yesterday in Azusa, the guest of James Slauson.

The pumping plant of the Committee of Nine in the San Gabriel Cañon is running day and night and delivering eighty inches of water.

Almon Hall left for Canada and will visit the St. Louis Fair en route.

Arthur R. Powell left Monday for the Grand Cañon. After a few days there he will go to St. Louis.

The funeral services of Miss Nellie Canavan were held this morning at 10:30 in the Presbyterian Church, conducted by Rev. J. H. Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Daniels, Miss Edna Gearhardt and C. H. Edwards left Friday for a three weeks' trip in the mountains. Their permanent camp will be in Coldwater Cañon.

Lavelle Ott of Bellemont, Ariz., is spending a week with Azusa friends.

Among the recent arrivals at Camp Rincon, San Gabriel Cañon, are the following named: H. E. Howard, Harry Lippen, Charles S. Copeton, Francis Rollin Percival, G. S. Tuttle, W. Morrison, A. W. Vogt, John Killefer and wife, Miss A. Root, T. T. Richardson and wife, Mrs. Virginia Davis, Everly Davis, Everett H. Scott, Hyman Phillips, Mrs. Bessie Blum, Miss Annabel Grant, Miss Eccleston, Bertha Mead, R. W. Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hamlin, Oscar McSweeney, Misses Anna, Bessie and Sadie Hare, T. W. Nahouse and wife, Mr. and Mrs. McGehan, Joseph, Bessie and Edith McGehan, George Schneider, Jessie Marshall, Maud Marshall, Los Angeles; Nathan F. Smith, Monrovia; O. S. Westover, Mrs. E. Carrillo, Santa Monica; Rose V. Pillsbury, Long Beach; Oliver Stanlee, Rivera; Mrs. John Ishma, Edith L. Ishma, Minneapolis, Minn.; Mrs. J. E. Albert, Roberta Albert, Edwin S. Van Rothenberg, Alfred H. Van Rothenberg and Stephen G. Emerson and wife, Pasadena; Robert Headley, Covina.

HOLLYWOOD.

TOLUCA FOR EDUCATION.

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 12.—An educational mass meeting was held at the public school building in Toluca last night with a big attendance, under the auspices of the grammar school board of trustees and high-school representative from the Lankershim school district.

County School Superintendent Mark Keppel and wife of Los Angeles, Principal J. O. Churchill and wife of Hollywood, Miss Lodwick and Miss Lyons from Hollywood, teachers in the Union High School, were present. Rev. Mr. Huested, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, presided. Mr. Churchill spoke of the organization of the High School, its work last year, and the advantages offered for the coming year, and make a showing calculated to demonstrate that a high-school education, in addition to its pleasure and influence, will pay at least $10 per day to the young man or woman who attends the high school faithfully for four years.

In a graceful address, Miss Lodwick showed various methods by which young people without means have secured an education.

Superintendent Keppel said that the interest shown by the Toluca people in high-school education is a sure indication of interest in the primary and grammar grades.

"Every effort made to popularize high-school education," he said, "will react favorably on the local grammar school."

In the course of the evening there were addresses by citizens of Toluca, and vocal solos by Miss Lyons.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jackson and sons are home from an extended visit in the East.

F. M. Barendar is visiting relatives in Iowa.

C. W. Walker is spending a few days with his family at Avalon.

Miss Laura Dickinson is very ill at her home on Wilcox avenue.

EIGHT HUNDRED ATTENDING IT.

CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY OPENS IN LONG BEACH.

Christian Endeavor the Topic Today at the Gathering—Child Dies Suddenly in Tent City—Morin in Another Fracas—Austrians Accused of Robbery of Companion.

LONG BEACH, Aug. 12.—The Christian Assembly opened today with about eight hundred delegates and visitors, Rev. H. Elliott Ward presiding. The programme was very entertaining, the chief feature being the lecture of Rev. W. P. Richardson of Kansas City on "The Growing of the Sermon."

Saturday will be Christian Endeavor Day, Rev. R. H. Arbury presiding. Dr. Richardson will lecture to young people on the "Power and Peril of Youth" and Rev. H. E. Wilhite of San Bernardino will show "How the Pastor can Best Help the Christian Endeavor Society." Reports will be made by the treasurer, secretary and committees. The music will include solos by William Barrowman of Chicago and Joseph Dupuy of Los Angeles. In the afternoon will be a discussion of "How to Interest Boys in Christian Work," by Earnest Viewgar, Pomona; Robert Daugherty, Pasadena, and Shirley Shaw of Los Angeles. In the evening the devotional and praise service will be in charge of Leon V Shaw, president of the State Christian Endeavor Union, concluding with a lecture by Dr. Smithers of Los Angeles on "Some Things I Saw in Europe."

The music during the convention will be under the direction of Prof. Edgar Rugby, director of the First Christian Church choir of Pasadena. George Aspinal, tenor of All Saints' Episcopal Church, Pasadena, will also take a prominent part in the music.

SEASIDE NEWS.

Walter Edgar Reider, the six-month-old babe of Mr. and Mrs. Reider of Los Angeles died suddenly at his parents' home in Tent City last night. Funeral services were held today.

Robert Morin, out on bail charged with interfering with an officer, preferred by Constable Holman of Los Angeles, was on a tear again last night and after a row with an ex-street car conductor over a trivial matter, attacked a roomer on the stairway of the lodging-house Morin runs, and in the fracas both men fell against the hall door and smashed the glass. Officers quelled the disturbance, but no arrests were made, though a warrant will be sworn out by the man he assaulted. The frequency of these outbreaks will probably cause the authorities to take steps unless better order is maintained in the house run by Morin and Mrs. Tibbets.

Nick Ruschick and Anton Sliskovich, Austrian sewer workers, are under arrest charged with robbing Blas Banisch, a compatriot, of $40.15. Banisch was counting his savings and left the room for a moment. When he returned the money was gone and Ruschick and Sliskovich were leaving. They were arrested within half an hour, but the money was not found.

José Luan was fined $5 this morning for cruelty to animals. He had an old mule and horse and turned them out without food or water. When Humane Officer Williams was notified the animals were in such misery that he ended their sufferings.

The company which is to build the commercial pier at the foot of Alamitos avenue has completed its organization and will be known as the International Dock and Lumber Company. Among modern appliances to be used in an immense overhead tram system to carry lumber from shiphold to car. It will be operated by electricity and is said to be capable of carrying a carload of lumber at a time at a good speed.

E. W. Fletcher, 80 years of age, while crossing the street near his home, was struck by a buggy and knocked down. He was severely bruised and cut about the head and face and has a wrenched knee.

Walter S. Bailey of this city was last night elected principal of the Wilmington Union High School. The term will begin September 12.

Gov. Pardee will visit Long Beach on Saturday, the 27th inst., and address the Seaside Institute conducted here during that week by the Pomona College biological department.

The Order of Pendo throughout Southern California will give their annual picnic here on September 3. The programme includes a big street parade, speeches by head officers and a competitive drill between twelve lodge teams.

SOLDIERS' HOME.

VETERAN FALLS TO DEATH.

SOLDIERS' HOME, Aug. 12.—Some time last night Lorenzo Schaad, member of Co. I, fell from the attic window of that company and was dead when discovered lying on the ground about 4 o'clock this morning. From his comrades it was learned that Schaad had been troubled with insomnia, and that frequently at night he would leave his bed and wander, and in a sort of stupor from old age and feebleness, would fall to locate his couch until assisted by one or the other of his comrades. As no one saw the occurrence, one of two theories will perhaps fit the case. The first is that, the night having been warm, he arose and took a seat on the window sill; the latter being not more than a foot from the floor, and perhaps dozed off and fell to the ground, thirty feet below. The other theory is that he, in a half-awake condition, mistook the open window, with its low sill, for an open door and stepped out and to his death.

As there was no evidence of a struggle on the ground where Schaad fell, it is believed death was instantaneous. Besides internal injuries that could not result otherwise, it is thought his neck was broken.

Lorenzo Schaad served during the Civil War in Co. D, Twelfth Illinois Veteran Infantry. He was admitted to the Western Branch (Leavenworth, Kan.) from Muscatine, Iowa, in 1879, from which he was discharged in May 1903, and in July of that year was readmitted to this (Pacific) branch. The records show that he was single, with no relatives. He was aged 81. It is learned that, together with a person living in Los Angeles, he had recently fallen heir to an estate in Dresden, Germany.

OTHER DEATHS.

Doran H. Stearns, late hospital steward, First U. S. Sharpshooters, a native of Vermont, admitted from Kyino, Ariz., in 1903, died August 7, aged 63. Benjamin F. McCain, late Co. G, Eighty-ninth Indiana Infantry, a native of Indiana, admitted from Chicago, 1901, died August 11, aged 62.

John Douglas, late Co. H, Fourth Minnesota Infantry, a native of New York, admitted from Reno, Nev., 1902, died August 11, aged 80.

OCEAN PARK.

FASTER NOW EATS DAILY.

OCEAN PARK, Aug. 12.—J. P. Sheets, the South Second-street man who tried the starvation remedy to rid himself of rheumatism, has given up his programme of eating but one meal a week. Incidentally, he is no longer seriously troubled with rheumatism.

For six long and weary weeks Mr. Sheets ate but one meal in each seven days, and during that time he only succeeded in reducing his avoirdupois from 252 to 220 pounds. Since Mr. Sheets has returned to satisfying the wants of the inner man, he partakes of but one meal daily, and on this diet he is losing in weight only about one pound a week. He pronounces the starvation remedy the only successful cure he has ever found for rheumatism.

FIGHTING AGAINST BONDS.

The Municipal League of Ocean Park community is taking an active part in Santa Monica's forthcoming bond election, and the campaign during the next four days will be hot and furious. The Executive Committee of the community league is out with a circular reciting the fact that Santa Monica's bonded debt is now nearly $90,000 and the tax rate $1.63 on the $100. Of the proposed bonds $150,000 is for a city water system. The South Side water system has never paid a dividend, and the North Side works are in bad shape.

"It looks," says the circular, "like a scheme of the various water interests to unload upon the city their run-down plants."

The circular says that Precinct No. 1 (the Ocean Park community) pays one-third of Santa Monica's taxes, and if the proposed bond issue is expended to the tune of $10,000, aside from the outfall-sewer bonds, will be expended in the First Precinct, yet this precinct will pay annually on these bonds in principal and interest $7000. The letter appeals to every citizen who desires to decrease his taxes and increase the value of his property to vote "No."

FOR NEW SCHOOL.

The Ocean Park school trustees have consummated the purchase of a block of eighteen lots in the vicinity of San Marco for use as public-school grounds. The price paid is $2650. The site is in the vicinity of Club avenue and Wave Crest street. A school building to cost from $8000 to $8000 is to be erected without delay. Its style of architecture is to be Old Mission. The building will have cemented outer walls, and will be quite an ornamental structure. School will open with two teachers, Mrs. E. M. Guild, principal, and Miss Jane Orr.

OCEAN PARK NOTES.

The Ocean Park boat crew has challenged the Sherman crew to a race, to be rowed at Playa Del Rey August 23.

The Western Union has opened a telegraph office on this beach.

H. L. Miller & Co. have sold to Mrs. Ella F. Young of New York City two lots on Ocean Park strand, for a stated consideration of $4200. Mrs. Young, who is the patentee of the Foster hose supporter, will at once build a fine home on the sand.

The Superior Court has decided in favor of L. B. Osborn, deceased, in his suit against Abbot Kinney, A. R. Fraser, G. M. Jones and Mr. Gage, in the suit to restrain the defendants from operating a gasoline pumping plant at the waterworks on South Second street. The defendants are permanently enjoined from using the gasoline engine for that purpose. They will pump with electric motors.

CLAREMONT.

ALMOST FANGED.

CLAREMONT, Aug. 12.—Clyde Frisbie narrowly escaped a rattlesnake bite. He was wetting the Kinney lawn and turned the spray on a young tree. Almost that instant he saw a snake coiled under the tree and it hurled itself at him, striking the hose two inches from his hand. Frisbie did not realize that it was a rattlesnake until it turned and started off and then he saw the rattles, which the water had evidently softened, preventing the usual warning. This is the second rattlesnake found in the center of the town this summer.

FRANK G. CARPENTER'S letter in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday will relate an interview with Speaker Cannon which will be of interest to Democrats and Republicans alike.

IT BEATS THE DAILY

The Los Angeles Sunday Times Newspaper and Two Magazines.

THE ISSUE FOR

Sunday, August 14, 1904

Will contain in the large sheets all the news of the world, with intelligent editorial comment; also many special features and departments.

Mr. Dooley's Article

Will be on "Political Prospects." The topic is timely and he treats it in his inimitable style. THE ILLUSTRATED MAGAZINE will contain the following and other

Special Articles:

SPEAKER CANNON AT HOME.
An interesting interview with him about himself and about public questions. By Frank G. Carpenter.

MAGNIFICENT AMERICA.
The glories of Yellowstone Park and the Yosemite graphically depicted. By George W. Burton.

CONDITIONS IN CUBA.
A general review of affairs in the new republic. By Frederic J. Haskin.

PICTURES OF RUSSIA.
A Russian's description of the conditions in the Baltic provinces in their relation to the empire. By Marquis de Venelle.

PASSING OF A LANDMARK.
The old home of the famous Commodore Decatur destroyed. By a Special Contributor.

THE TWENTIETH-CENTURY GIRL.
Wherein she differs from her mother and her grandmother. By G. P. S.

THE FLOWER OF MYSTERY.
The lotus of the Nile and how it may be grown here. By Harry H. Dunn.

WHALING AGAIN.
The revival of an old-time industry along the California coast. By Arthur J. Burdick.

THE HAND OF NIHELAH.
An incident in the early life of Chief Seattle. By Clyde Scott Chase.

MARIAN'S WEEK OF TRIAL.
The visit of a rich bride which did not turn out well. By Mary Stewart Daggett.

REFORESTATION IN ITALY.
A descriptive article which is of special interest in Southern California. By Mrs. Adams-Fisher.

DAME NATURE THE ARTIST.
Description of the new method of photographing in colors. From the Washington Star.

COUNTRY GARDENS AND ROADS.
Some notes on Ventura county and its improvements. By Belle Sumner Angier.

WOMAN AND HOME.
Traveling Comfortably, Maternal Duty, Country Girl in Town, etc.

Care of the Body—Farming in California—Development of the Southwest—Good Short Stories, Etc.

Juvenile Magazine.

The boys and girls will find their magazine the coming Sunday to be especially interesting. It will contain a continuation of the story of the "Three Little Donkeys," a number of other highly interesting stories, as well as puzzles, the solution of the puzzles given two weeks ago, new puzzles and other features.

Beautiful Illustrations.

Newspaper and Two Magazines, Only 5 Cents.

THIS STORE CLOSES TODAY AT 1 O'CLOCK

FREE BEACH TICKETS

Given Away Saturday Morning With Purchases of $5.00 and Over

To every purchaser of $5.00 and over this morning we will give a Round Trip Beach Ticket Free. Limit one ticket to a purchaser, and are good going and returning today only. Choice of the following beaches:

LONG BEACH,
SANTA MONICA,
OCEAN PARK,
REDONDO,
PLAYA DEL REY,
MANHATTAN.

There will be concerts this afternoon and evening at Ocean Park, Santa Monica and Playa del Rey. Dancing tonight at "Tent City" Auditorium at Redondo, and pavilions at Playa del Rey and Ocean Park.

35c Shell Hair Combs **10c**

"LARGEST PLACE TO TRADE"
Hamburger's
127 to 147 N. Spring St., Los Angeles

45c Patent Leather Belts **25c**

$2.00 Street and Untrimmed Hats, 25c

For Saturday morning's rapid selling an assortment of styles for women and children including women's French sailor shape street hats of plain or two-toned braids and misses' sailors in all colors; also untrimmed hats of white plaited Chiffon or straw braid in natural and fancy color turban and wide flare shapes; and some French sailors in the lot. They are among the season's best styles. We carry none from one season to another and though these have sold up to $2.00, every one of them will be priced for a quick clearance Saturday morning at, choice..... **25c**

SECOND FLOOR.

ROUND TRIP TICKETS

To the Beaches

Saturday Morning at Hamburger's

As is our custom every Saturday in order that employes and patrons may spend Saturday afternoon at the beach we will sell tickets to the following resorts:

OCEAN PARK
SANTA MONICA
PLAYA DEL REY
MANHATTAN
REDONDO
LONG BEACH

Price for the Round Trip, Good Going and Returning, Saturday Only..... 39

Three Attractive Values in Ready-to-put-on Clothing

You are not interested in paying an exhorbitant price for clothing that is ready-to-put-on and yet you want clothing that will fit, that are in style and that will stand the quality test. Now we are going to give you an opportunity Saturday to make the best investment of the season.

Men's $15.00 to $20.00 Outing Suits at $10.95.

This is a special purchase of 200 high grade 2-piece outing suits from the foremost manufacturer of Rochester, N. Y. Complete as to sizes. They are all in good style that swell dressers appreciate. They are latest cut in single or double breasted coats with extra broad form fitting shoulders and a portion of them are now displayed in our show windows. They are in sizes 34 to 46. Not a one of them worth less than $15.00 and many of them $17.50 and $20.00 but all on sale for Saturday as a leader at..... **$10.95**

Men's $12.50 to $17.50 3-piece Suits at $8.95.

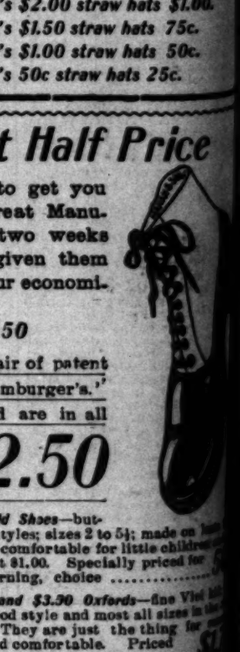
As another suit feature for Saturday morning's selling we have placed on bargain table No. 5 main floor in clothing aisle 350 all wool 3-piece suits taken from our regular stocks that have sold at $12.50, $15.00 and $17.50. The coats are sack style, single or double breasted; also 3-button cut away frocks. The materials fancy Worsteds, Tweeds, Cheviots, Cassimeres, Homespuns, Serges, Clays and every other popular material; light and dark colorings and in sizes 34 to 46. Choice of the entire line..... **$8.95**

Boys' $3 and $3.50 Wool Suits at $1.95.

This assortment gives you the best selection of the widest range of patterns in boys' clothing offered in the city. They are all-wool in two-piece jacket and knee pant style; the materials Cassimeres, Cheviots and Tweeds; all nicely lined; seams silk stitched. Trousers have riveted buttons and elastic waist bands; are in light and dark colorings and sizes 8 to 16 years. Choice of the lot..... **$1.95**

Women's ....Wash Dress Skirts Underpriced

More than two months yet to get full uses of summer wash garments and as you may now be thinking of taking a vacation and going to the beach for a few days or weeks, what can be better than one of these skirts? The selling price is much cheaper than you would pay for the material alone and yet the making is all that any individual tailor could incorporate.



$2.50 Wash Dress Skirts at 98c

They include linen Crashes and all linen dress skirts in the popular beach lengths, plain or flare shapes; also black and white polkadot duck skirts and fancy linen with self strapping. Not a one in the lot worth less than $2.50. On sale Saturday morning from 8 to 1 o'clock..... **98c**

Women's $3.50 Wash Dress Skirts $1.98

These consist of fine white all linen dress and walking skirts trimmed with self plaitings and buttons; also some of them with drawn work medallions; and colored all linen skirts and fine cotton Cheviot and Covert cloth skirts in dress and walking lengths. A large assortment to select from in the prettiest of the season's styles of trimmings and all of them $3.50 values. Special price for Saturday morning..... **$1.98**

Women's $4.00 and $5.00 Wash Skirts at $2.98

These are of white linen in dress or walking length trimmed with self plaiting, fine tailor stitchings, buttons and trimmed with insertions; also colored all linen dress and walking skirts in plain or trimmed styles. None worth less than $4.00 and many of them $5.00 values but all priced for Saturday morning's selling at, choice..... **$2.98**

SECOND FLOOR.

Women's 50c Neckwear at 19c

Including circular yoke collars, Bishop collars, collar and cuff sets, bows with tab ends; also the new Dorothea and cat tail effects. Some trimmed with lace and others with medallions; also with Teneriffe and Mexican drawn work. They are in white, black, white and black and Persian and Bulgarian effects. Values up to 50c. On bargain table Saturday 8 to 1 o'clock, choice..... **19c**

25c to 50c Fabric Gloves 10c

A sample line of 50 dozen gloves and mitts. Gloves are mode, white, black and gray; are in Lisles and Taffetas, both 2-clasp and closed wrist styles with Paris Point or one row embroidery. The mitts are in white and black only and are allover lace. Also allover lace Lisle gloves in black only. Some are slightly damaged but they usually sell at 25c, 35c and 50c. To close Saturday morning, choice per pair..... **10c**

Men's $2.00 and $2.50 Fancy Vests 98c.

Single breasted styles; with or without collar; the materials Piques, Ducks and mercerized effects in basket weave and shell patterns; all of them popular colors also black and white; have detachable pearl buttons; are in sizes 33 to 44 and will be on the bargain table Saturday morning from 8 to 1 o'clock at, choice..... **98c**

Women's 85c Lisle Vests 45c

50 dozen women's Swiss ribbed mercerized Lisle Vests in low neck, sleeveless style; trimmed at neck and on arms with white silk Valenciennes lace and with silk ribbon at neck. Made in the new jabot front style and regularly sold at 85c. Will be specially featured for Saturday morning's selling from 8 to 1 o'clock at, per garment..... **45c**

Men's Straw Hats Half Price

The general reduction should fill the store Saturday morning with purchasers who appreciate such liberal merchandising for we place on sale our entire stock of straw hats at just half price as the following list will show.

Men's $4.00 straw hats $2.00.
Men's $3.00 straw hats $1.50.
Men's $2.50 straw hats $1.25.
Men's $2.00 straw hats $1.00.
Men's $1.50 straw hats 75c.
Men's $1.00 straw hats 50c.
Men's 50c straw hats 25c.

Women and Children's Wearing Apparel

What is the use of sitting down and sewing or having all the bother of fitting and trying on garments at the dressmakers when for ordinary purposes you can purchase ready made garments at lower prices and yet have clothes that will both fit and look well. The following prices should decide you.

Girls' $5.00 Wash Dresses at $2.45

They are in Russian blouse, Peter Thompson and sailor styles; the materials are ducks, percales, linen and ginghams in solid colors and fancy pattern effects. They are in sizes 4 to 10 and none of them are worth less than $5.00. All of them willl be placed on sale Saturday morning at..... **$2.45**

Girls' 75c Petticoats—of white muslin, made with tucked trimmed flounces; are of ample proportions, nicely finished and good values at 75c. Specially priced for Saturday morning at..... **39c**

Infants' 50c Slips—of nice quality white long cloth finished with embroidery trimmed yokes, are cut full length and are good values at 50c, but specially priced Saturday at..... **25c**

$5.00 Jap Silk Waists—trimmed with pretty lace insertion and narrow tucking in straight front or yoke effects; have neat collars and some of them are tucked on sleeves. Special for Saturday morning at..... **$3.98**

Women's 85c White Lawn Waists—trimmed with narrow tucking and embroidery and insertion; are carefully finished and are worth 85c. Specially priced for Saturday morning at..... **59c**

$18.50 Mohair Shirt Waist Suits—white or champagne the waist made with broad shoulder effects, have narrow tuckings on front and back; the skirts are in kilt flare style and they are correctly tailored throughout. A Saturday morning leader at..... **$9.95**

$30.00 Silk Shirt Waist Suits—the balance of those featured in last Sunday's advertisement. They are of taffeta silk in shepard checked patterns in blue and white, black and white, green and white and brown and white; some are trimmed with tucking and others with silk piping. All of them priced at..... **$14.00**

Face Creams

Necessary Summer Toilet Requisites.

Hine's Honey and Almond Cream—regular price 50c. Saturday only..... **29c**

Almond Cold Cream—softens and protects the skin from sunburn; regular price 25c. Saturday only..... **15c**

Cucumber Cream—a most excellent toilet lotion; absolutely harmless; regular price 50c. Saturday's price..... **29c**

Ed. Pinaud's Beautiveon—universally conceded a perfect liquid powder and lotion; regular price 50c. Saturday..... **29c**

Woodbury's Facial Cream—in collapsible tubes; regular price 50c. Saturday only..... **15c**

Aqua de Barcelona—or Sultana Bloom; a perfect liquid powder. A 50c preparation priced for Saturday only..... **29c**

La Cigale Face Powder—one of the very best face powders on the market and is made by the Anita Cream & Toilet Co. Specially priced at per box..... **40c**

EXTRA SPECIAL—For Saturday only to every purchaser of La Cigale Face Powder, we will present a splendid gun metal powder box free.

Half Day Shoe Selling at Half Price

As this store closes at one o'clock Saturday we want to get you interested in Saturday morning trading so from our great Manufacturer's shoe sale which has now been in progress two weeks we have taken a number of lines of fine footwear and given them additional price cuts that certainly must appeal to your economical senses.

Men's $5.00 Patent Leather Oxfords at $2.50

Where can you go in the city and buy a thoroughly good pair of patent leather Oxfords at this price? We say "nowhere but Hamburger's." They have Goodyear welted soles; all in good style and are in all sizes. Can not be matched at any store under $5.00. Specially priced for Saturday morning at..... **$2.50**

Hanan & Son's Men's Shoes—regular $5.00 and $6.00 values; in vici kid or patent leather; all of them good shapes and a fair assortment of sizes in the lot. Specially priced for Saturday at..... **$3.00**

Women's $4.00 Sandals—of Vici kid or patent leather; all of them pretty shapes and nearly all sizes; have Louis XV heels. Saturday half day sale price..... **$2.00**

Women's $3.50 to $5.00 Shoes—Vici kid or patent kid; button and lace styles; welted extension or light flexible soles; all sizes in the combined lines. None worth less than $3.50 and most of them $5.00. All priced for Saturday morning selling at, choice..... **$2.50**

Infants' $1.00 Kid Shoes—button and lace styles; sizes 2 to 5½; made on [illegible] are perfectly comfortable for little children's [illegible] good values at $1.00. Specially priced for Saturday morning, choice..... **[illegible]**

Women's $3.00 and $3.50 Oxfords—fine Vici kid of them in good style and most all sizes in the [illegible] bined lines. They are just the thing for [illegible] wear; cool and comfortable. Priced for Saturday morning..... **$2.**

Women's $5.00 and $6.00 Patent Leather Shoes—[illegible] year welted soles with military heels or [illegible] turned soles with Louis XV heels but [illegible] sizes in the lot. Specially priced for Saturday morning at..... **$3.**

Women's Bathing Suit and Cap at $2.50

The suit is of fine Serge or Brilliantine in blue or black, has small collar, braid trimmed, or with large sailor collar, long or short sleeves. The caps are in figured pattern effect and the combination suit and cap is worth $4.00, but will be specially priced complete for Saturday morning's selling at..... **$2.50**

SECOND FLOOR.

"Universal" Food Chopper at 95c.

For Saturday morning's selling the well-known "Universal" food chopper, for fruits and meats; has three cutters for fine, medium and coarse; no phone orders and for this special sale price..... **95c**

FOURTH FLOOR.

Mme. Potts' Irons at, Per Set, 69c

No better in the world; they are nickel plated and irons 3 to a set, and include stand and detachable handle. For Saturday morning, no phone orders, price complete..... **69c**

Fancy Fans Given Away Saturday.

FOURTH FLOOR.

75c Black Granite Cloth per yd. 29c.

12 pieces of a basket granite weave, very suitable for full dresses and separate skirts; is good weight, lustrous black, perfectly reversible, 44 inches wide and all wool; is worth 75c. For Saturday morning 8 to 1..... **29c**

18c White Lawn per yard 10c

One case of 40-inch white lawn of fine quality, just about 600 yards in the lot will be specially offered Saturday morning; it is a usual 18c grade but for five hours' rapid selling, price per yard..... **10c**

New Sheet Music 15c.

Three of the most popular titles of music published to sell at 50c, and for which our price is regularly 25c, will be specially featured Saturday morning at..... **15c**

Titles as follows—
Sole la (all the rage.) When the Coons Have a Dreamland of Their Own. Golbye My Lady Love.

"The Crisis" at 15c.

This is one of the greatest novels written in the past two years, and the author, Churchill, has added laurels to his already great reputation. Was formerly published in $1.50 cloth bound edition. Offered Saturday in paper covers at..... **15c**

75c Silk Gloves Per Pair 50c.

A lot of 100 dozen 2-clasp silk gloves, black, white, mode and gray will be specially featured for Saturday morning. They are made double finger tips, one row of Cordell embroidery on back and are in all sizes. Actually worth 75c, but for Saturday morning, per pair..... **50c**